PASTOR'S CORNER

BY: DICK HAYES
Interim Pastor
New Hope Baptist Church

GOD'S BLESSINGS

It is wonderful to know that our Lord, who left Heaven and its glories for you and me, knew the limitations of the material. He had no home to call His own. He borrowed a boat in which to rest and a boat from which to preach. With this in mind, let us consider a few things He gives us.

In Ephesians 1:3 we read: "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in Heavenly places in Christ."

"In Christ!" What a wonder! The world looks at jewels and wealth and marvels, but in salvation we have the wonder of wonders. The Lord Jesus so loved us that He gave Himself a ransom that through faith in Him (Romans 6:23), we have eternal life. A little girl reading this Scripture in the Bible read: "He that believeth hath 'internal life'." This was a mistake in reading but no mistake in actuality. The Lord Jesus lives within and gives many blessings along the way. He has clothed us with "His righteousness" and makes us sit in "Heavenly places."

One of these "internal" blessings is the peace that is within our hearts. He said, "My peace I give unto you" (John 14:27). All can be stress, strain and tensions without, but we can have that ease of mind and heart that we are His, and He is ours. The person who is continually thinking of material possessions has never known this blessing that passes understanding.

A second "internal" blessing is the opportunity of working with Him - being co-workers with Christ. He owns the cattle on a thousand hills, He who said, "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life," He who sits at the right hand of God the Father -- He is the one who permits us to use our time, our talent, and His tithes to proclaim the "good news" and to be workers with Him.

Add to these two the "internal" blessing of the joy of being able to walk and talk with Him. He has told us (James 1:5) that if any of us lack wisdom, we are to ask of Him. He will impart the proper answer. Sometimes He says yes, sometimes no, and sometimes - wait. You see, He knows what is good for us. What are often our disappointments are His appointments. He is all-knowing, all-powerful and always present with every Christian. He will impart His will to us, and furnish the power to do that will.

Yes, as Christians, we are members of His household, children of God, members of the body of Christ, indwelt by God Himself in the person of the Holy Ghost. We are rich, aren't we? The songwriter says, "A child of the King, with Jesus my Savior, I'm a child of the King."

Perhaps one thought out to impress us. It is not how much we have, but what we do with what we have that counts. Let's enjoy our "internal" blessings.

Missionaries To Salvador To Appear At First Baptist

Special guests to appear at Elba First Baptist Church Friday night will be two Southern Baptist missionaries to El Salvador. Ernie and Lee Ann McAninch will appear on a "Missions Night Out" program, to begin at 6:30 with a covered dish supper, and the presentation at 7:15.

The McAninchs were appointed in 1979 for literature distribution and to strengthen established churches. They are natives of Gadsden.

The public is invited.

Gospel Sing At Church Of Prophecy

A gospel sing will be held at the Church of God of Prophecy in Elba Saturday night, February 18, to begin at 7 p.m.

Featured singers will be Billy Joe Watson and The Egales from Enterprise and local talent.

Pastor J.E. Wesley invites everyone to attend. The church is located at 647 N. Claxton Avenue, across the street from Dairy Queen-Big Bear shopping center.

Bible Verse

But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him.
I Cor. 2:9

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TEN YEARS AGO
FEBRUARY 14, 1974

***The Clipper is this week beginning a Sports Section with Ricky Mularz as sports editor. Ricky is a student at Troy State University and plays on a Troy golf team. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mularz, he graduated from Elba High School in 1971.

***On Monday night, February 11 the Elba Business and Professional Women's Club honored Miss Zadie Rowe as their Woman of Achievement for 1974. The program was entitled "This is Your Life, Zadie Rowe."

***In its regular meeting on February 11, the Coffee County Commission voted to join with the Alabama Highway Department to build Weeks Bridge (on Weeks Bridge Road).

***The POW-MIA memorial monument will be dedicated Saturday, February 23, at 3 p.m. It will be placed at the intersection of the Troy and Brantley Highways near Cook Chevrolet. It will be dedicated to all POW's and MIA's, with special honor to Ben Ringsdorf, who was released from war prison a year ago.

***LaMarguerite Goosby has been named New Brockton 1973-74 Betty Crocker Family Leader of Tomorrow. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Goosby of New Brockton and attends school there where she is a senior. She enjoys reading, sewing, cooking and sketching.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
FEBRUARY 13, 1964

***Sherlon Delan Farris has been named 1964 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for Kinston High School.

***Through the Keyhole, with Mrs. Robert Cannon: "Will you be my Valentine?" It's that time of year again, and in keeping with the theme were appointments at Sylvia Brown's home Saturday when she and Arlan entertained at an intimate dinner party. Enjoying Sylvia's fine cooking (and a raspberry red salad molded in heart shape) were Barbara and Phillip Scarborough, Jo and Jerry Brown, Evelyn and George Hocutt, Boots and Albert Reeves, Rita and Jack Guenes and Sara and Robert Newton.

***The Intermediate GA's of the New Brockton Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Leon McIntosh on Wednesday, January 29. The president, Ginger DeVaughan, called the meeting to order, and the secretary, Rosemary Bailey called the roll. Devotional was given by Ramona Adkison, and the group offered sentence prayer. Refreshments were served to these and Martha Bludsworth and Mrs. McIntosh.

***The marriage of Miss Emily Josephine Bradbury to Dr. John Wesley Brock Jr. took place Saturday, February 8, at four in the afternoon in the chapel of St Paul Methodist Church in Columbus, Georgia. Dr. Brock is the son of the late Mr. John W. Brock and Mrs. Lillie Jones Brock of New Brockton, and the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brock and the late Mr. and Mrs. John T. Jones, all of Coffee County. Mr. Ben Brock of Elba served his brother as best man.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
FEBRUARY 18, 1954

***Little Paul English was honored on his second birthday February 9 at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Brice Paul, when his mother entertained a number of little tots. The valentine motif was carried out, and the hostess served ice cream and cake to Steve and Kim Dorsey, David McDowell, Lee Boyd, Dixanne King, Billy Edgar, Beverly and Skip Rainer, Tommy Bealle and Brice Paul.

***Pictured are J.S. Waldrop, Dan Parker, Jimmy Fuller, Bird Jacobs and others listening to the hillbilly band of Winston Gullatte, gubernatorial candidate, when he was in Elba recently.

***Soil Conservation News: "I have my land ready to plant bahia grass," said L.L. Ballard of Perry's Store Community last week. C.J. Meeks of Basin said he had to borrow some of his neighbor's cows to eat part of his bahia grass. J.W. Grimes of Danley Cross Roads says his bahia grass was green and furnishing grazing last summer when it was so dry Bermuda would not grow. Earl Twilley of Curtis says he plows under all crop residues on his land, and does not burn anything off. He says burning crop residue is destructive to the land.

***Kinston: Pfc and Mrs. Clayton Bess announce the birth of an eight-pound, nine-ounce daughter, on February 19 at Mizell Memorial Hospital. She has been named Deborah Kaye . . . Spending last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Hall were Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Bell and family of Ariton. Also visiting there Friday afternoon were Mrs. Hall's sister and nephew, Mrs. W. Avant and Fred Avant of Columbus, Georgia.

FORTY YEARS AGO
FEBRUARY 17, 1944

***Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Pate of Columbus, Georgia, announce the marriage of their daughter Nell to Pfc. Connie C. Kelley, stationed at Camp Adair, Oregon. After a short wedding trip they are visiting the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kelley of Glenwood.

***Mr. B.D. Nelson brought to The Clipper office Saturday an unusually large White Leghorn egg which measured six inches around and weighed five ounces. The egg came from the yard of Barney Smith, Beat 5 resident.

***Pine Level School recently elected students to "Who's Who." They are: Miss Pine Level - Frances Ennis; prettiest girl - Jo Ruth Cooper; most handsome boy - Lawrence Bryan; cutest girl - Mildred Bryan; cutest boy - Harold Parker; smartest girl - Evelyn Carter; smartest boy - Orell King; best boy sport - Alton Carlile; best girl sport - Floye Ennis; wittiest boy - Dixon Boutwell; wittiest girl - Inez Cooper; biggest girl pest - Billie Carter; biggest boy pest - Thomas Mayberry.

***Imprinting letters with lipstick might provide a thoughtful and tender touch, but when they're to be sent V-mail, they smear the equipment and blur the film, say Chicago V-mail authorities. Other difficulties include letters written with a hard lead pencil or faulty typewriter which cannot be photographed. Because all V-mail is sent by air, delivery time averages five days. About 100,000 pieces of such mail are handled daily.

***Mrs. Bruce Maddox and children - Jean, Frances and Sarah of Dothan - spent the weekend in Elba with her parents, Mr. and mrs. F.D. her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.D. Veal.

Methodism In America Is 200 Years Old

The Methodist Church this year celebrates its 200th year of Methodism in America, and Methodists throughout the country are highlighting its history.

In an article in the February 3 issue of **The United Methodist Christian Advocate,** Dr. Barbara S. Roundtree reiterates the very beginning of Methodism by its founder, John Wesley.

BY: DR. BARBARA S.ROUNDTREE
First United Methodist Church
Tuscaloosa, AL

When John Wesley was 17 years old, he entered Oxford University. He studied there for several years before his younger brother Charles arrived to enroll as a student. Both young men were serious students who believed in a methodical way of life. When John was ordained a minister of the Church of England, he told Charles, "Leisure and I have taken leave of one another, and I propose to be busy as long as I live."

Each day John got up at four o'clock and wrote in his diaries and journals before beginning his duties. He spent a special time each morning with God for prayer and devotion.

When some friends joined Charles and John to study and worship together, other students nicknamed them the "Holy Club." As John taught the group, his methodical ways of study and work, they soon came to be called "Methodist." The name "Methodists" was a joke to those students not as serious as John and Charles.

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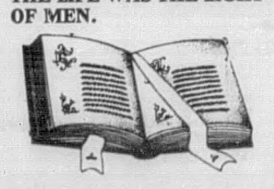

Church Directory

THE ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION meets each Thursday at 8 a.m. at Holley's Restaurant.

Listen to:
Hour of Truth
WELB-1350-AM
1:30 - 2:00 p.m. Sundays
Rev. Jonas Rogers

NEW BROCKTON METHODIST - Lister Grant
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . . 5:00 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD [Kinston] - Robert Bowen
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
C.A. (Youth) . . . 5:30 p.m.
Evangelistic Serv. .6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . 7:00 p.m.

NEW PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST - Eld. Waymon Pryor
Sunday School . . 10:30 a.m.
Noon Service . . . 12:00 p.m.
2nd and 4th Sundays

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH - Billy Shellhouse
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Church Training . . 5:30 p.m.
Even. Worship . . 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Night . . . . 7:00 p.m.

WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Ferron Smith
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service . . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Service . . 5:00 p.m.
Even. Service . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet.7:00 p.m.
Fri. Home Prayer . 7:00 p.m.

MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Wm. McCrummen
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service . .5:30 p.m.

NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:00 p.m.

BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST Donnie Marler
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Church Training . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Ser. Wed. 7:00 p.m.

ELBA UNITED METHODIST - John C. Carmichael
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 10:45 a.m.
Children and Youth Choir Practice . . . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY - J.E. Wesley
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . .5:30 p.m.
Tues. Even. . . 7:00 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS - Rev. Charles Dyess
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship. .11:00 a.m.
Sunday night sing..6:00 p.m.
Bible Study, Wed ..7:00 p.m.

FAIRVIEW BAPTIST - Donald Hall
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet.7:30 p.m.

WHITEWATER BAPTIST - David Richburg
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Church Train. . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:00 p.m.

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH J.J. Hataway
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet.7:00 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST - W.C. [Bud] Goodson
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 6:00 p.m.

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH - Billy Henderson
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. .4:00 p.m.
Training Union . .5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . .6:00 p.m.
Outreach Wed. . .6:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Wed. 8:00 p.m.

MULBERRY HEIGHTS CHURCH OF CHRIST - R.B. Williams
Bible Study . . .10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . 7:00 p.m.

ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH - Faye Sims
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Service . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . .6:00 p.m.
Thursday Service .7:00 p.m.

ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Jim Arbogast
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service .11:00 a.m.
Adult Choir . . 4:30 p.m.
Evening Service . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . 7:00 p.m.
Youth Scene Wed. 7:00 p.m.

WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH - Lanny Shepard
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . .5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:00 p.m.

WESTSIDE BAPTIST
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. .4:45 p.m.
Church Training . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Serv. . .6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet 7:00 p.m.
Nursery open for church activities.

ALBERTON BAPTIST - Milford Johnson
Sunday School . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . 7:00 p.m.
1st Sunday aft. . 2:00 p.m.

DAMASCUS BAPTIST - Rev. Billy Sunday
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . .7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. .7:00 p.m.
Visitation Thursday Nights
RA's and GA's Wed. 7:00 p.m.

ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST - Ben Amlong
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. . 4:00 p.m.
Church Training . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service...7:00 p.m.

NEW HAVEN TABERNACLE ASSEMBLY OF GOD- Huey D. Anderson
S. School. . . . . . 10:00 a.m.
Church. . . . . . . .11:00 a.m.
Even. Service. . . . .5:00 p.m.
Wed. Night. . . . . .7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD James Cooper
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Serv. .6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. .7:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST - Jerry Thomas
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. .7:00 p.m.

TAYLOR HILL BAPTIST CHURCH - Jim Danford
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Services:
Bible Study . . . 5:00 p.m.
Worship Serv. . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST Bob Prichard
Bible Study . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHRUCH ELBA - R. Pat McFadden
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Family Meal 5:40 p.m.
C.A. (Youth) . . . 5:30 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPTIST - J.L. Gray
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service . 6:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal Each Thurs. Before 1st and 3rd Sundays.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE - David Baggett
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Servive . 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Serv. 7:00 p.m.
WELB Daily . . . 12:30 p.m.

VICTORIA BAPTIST - Larry Doster
Sunday School . .9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Choir Practice . . 4:30 p.m.
Training Union . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 6:00 p.m.

FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH - Syble Bagwell, Pastor
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.

NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH - Dr. L.B. Baldwin, Sr.
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Worship Serv. . 11:00 a.m.
1st and 3rd Sundays

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VOLUME 87 THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1984 ELBA, ALABAMA 2 SECTIONS 18 PAGES [Including 1 Adv. Insert] NUMBER 36

John Osburn, superintendent of the Elba City Schools, discusses renovation plans with school board members at a recent meeting. The local school board voted to accept a low bid of half a million dollars for extensive renovation of the junior high school and other minor repairs.

City School Board Accepts $½ Million Bid On Renovation

It will cost a little over half a million dollars to complete the renovation work at the Elba High and Jr. High School buildings, according to bids opened and accepted by the Elba City School Board last week.

A total of five bids was received, with Walter P. Lunsford of Enterprise being the low bidder. Lunsford's bid of $507,628, after removing the optional sum of $42,000 for new auditorium seats, was very close to the figure estimated by architect Charles Dunseth. Dunseth had said before the advertising for bids that the new seats would have to be eliminated to stay within the budget.

Other bidders were Lewis & Associates of Dothan; Cox & Cox Inc. of Clio; Whaley Lumber & Construction of Troy; and Henderson, Black and Green, also of Troy.

Both Dunseth and Superintendent John Osburn express satisfaction with the number of bidders, with the high standards of bidders involved and with the overall price for the work.

The work will include renovating the office area of the high school, some work in the library and science lab, halls, etc.; work on the stage area of the auditorium; completely reworking the junior high wing including complete new restroom facilities. Some landscaping work will be done at the cost of about $3700, which is already in the total cost of the project.

The contract calls for completion by August 17 of this year, but no work can be done that would disrupt the educational process for the students. It is expected that outside work will begin in about six weeks. Osburn said they would work with the contractor and could possibly release several rooms in the junior high building early if workers needed them.

The project is being funded with a combination of funds from several sources, including $270,000 from a state bond issue and on deposit in local banks; $250,000 obligated by the Elba City Council in 1983. . . this commitment will be met by joint efforts of the city and Water and Electric Board; $30,000 held by the Public School and College Authority as part of the above bond issue, but held back to clear the asbestos from the schools. This could be a total of $550,000 to cover the remodeling contract and pay the architects.

An additional project for the shcool system is in the planning stages, with plans to build a band room in the "burned-out gym area", convert the present band room to use by the athletic department; build restrooms on the visitor's side of the football field; install new, improved lights on the field.

Funding for this latter project has not been tied down and is further complicated by the need of a new fire truck to lower the insurance rating (and of course the insurance cost) and also for the need of a building to house this new truck and the present fire units. The cost of the above mentioned projects will be less than the half million of the present work, even including the fire station and truck, but will be above the $250,000 batted around early in the planning.

Five Charged In Bank Robbery

A Federal Grand Jury has indicted five persons in connection with the July 19, 1983, robbery of the Coffee County Bank of Kinston and the December 30, 1983, robbery of the South Dale branch of the Bank of Ozark.

U.S. Attorney John C. Bell of Montgomery announced the indictments last week by the grand jury that serves the middle district of Alabama.

Charged with bank robbery in two four-count indictments were John Henry Mayberry Jr., Lawrence Monroe Moss, Robert Eugene Pardue and Donell Morris, while Thorton Tyrone Price-Williams Jr. was charged with aiding and abetting in each of the robberies.

One indictment alleges that Mayberry, Moss, Pardue and Morris robbed three Coffee County Bank tellers of approximately $71,057, and also robbed two tellers of the Bank of Ozark of approximately $169,212.

The indictments were the result of a comprehensive investigation conducted by the FBI. The cases will be prosecuted by Asst. U.S. Attorney James E. Wilson.

Mayberry, Pardue, Morris and Price-Williams are in custody, while Moss is still at large and considered extremely dangerous.

If convicted, each defend nt could be sentenced to imprisonment of up to 25 years and fined up to $10,000 in each case.

Harrison Pleads Not Guilty

Mary Harrison, the former chief clerk of the Coffee County Probate Office in Enterprise, pleaded innocent last week on charges of first degree theft.

Mrs. Harrison is charged in connection with over $20,000 in missing funds. The charge carries a 2-20 year prison sentence.

The missing funds were discovered during a routine audit of office records during the term of Probate Judge James L. Sawyer.

Unemployment Rate Up In County

The Alabama State Employment Service has released its unemployment date report for December 1983 and while the report shows the rate is up in Coffee County, it is still far below the rate of December, 1982.

According to figures released last week, out of the county's civilian labor force of 20,660, 2,110 are unemployed, or 10.2%. This figure is up from November's rate of 9.5%, but well below the unemployment rate of 13.1% listed in December, 1982.

Following are county statistics in this area and the statewide average:

County	Labor Force	Unemployment	Dec. 1983	Dec. 1982	Nov. 1983
Butler	9,900	1,280	12.9	22.5	14.5
Coffee	20,660	2,110	10.2	13.1	9.5
Conecuh	7,060	1,060	15.0	14.3	13.2
Covington	16,410	2,020	12.3	13.0	12.1
Crenshaw	6,420	640	9.9	13.2	9.6
Dale	12,860	1,600	12.4	15.6	13.2
Escambia	17,360	2,400	13.8	13.5	13.4
Geneva	12,280	1,220	9.9	11.4	8.8
Houston	40,110	4,030	10.0	10.6	10.3
Montgomery	92,300	9,460	10.3	11.0	11.1
Pike	13,400	1,750	13.1	18.2	12.0
State	**1,763,100**	**217,300**	**12.3**	**15.5**	**12.6**

County Homeowner May Claim One-Half Exemption

A question raised by Coffee County Revenue Commissioner Ronald Burns concerning the ability to share homestead exemptions was answered last week in a series of opinions released by the State Attorney General's Office.

The opinion was requested in a case where two individuals (mother and son) own a house and lot on an equal basis, although the mother resides in the house and the son lives in another house he owns and claims a homestead exemption. In the question, it was asked if the mother is entitled to a homestead exemption, and if so, what proportionate share.

The attorney general's office stated she was entitled to a one-half exemption.

In other opinions issued, it was stated:

A person is in violation of Section 9-11-257 if he shoots from within 100 yards of a public road, highway or railroad without permission of the landowner onto whose land he shoots;

The percentage fee provided for a sheriff from a judicial sale is to be based on the proceeds of the sale;

Section 40-10-105 places the ultimate burden on the county for refunding fees that are collected as a result of an erroneous tax sale;

Teachers are entitled to funds allocated in accordance with Act. No. 83-617 to be expended for instructional materials in accordance with the terms of the act. Barring proration, these funds may not be reduced, withheld or diverted by local boards of education.

A municipality may levy a privilege or license tax on the sale or distribution of natural gas within the municipality;

The last general election for purposes of determining the number of petitioners required to call a wet/dry referendum under §28-2-1 is the general election of November 1982. Names on a wet/dry petition must be those of registered voters in the county;

Names and precincts of the voters on a petition for a wet/dry referendum may be made available to the public by the probate judge. A petition containing the same names may be submitted several times; and

Individual members of Boards of Registrars may perform clerical duties, take applications and administer oaths, but they cannot register voters.

Rabies In Pets All But Wiped Out

Rabies remains prevalent in the wild animal population of Alabama, but efforts to protect domestic animals by vaccination have resulted in a reduction of rabies in dogs and cats.

All Alabama counties have designated rabies inspectors who conduct rabies clinics for the public. The State Committee of Public Health recently approved a $1 increase in the fee rabies inspectors may charge for administering the vaccine during these public clinics, which brings the cost to $6 per animal. Dogs and cats three months old must be vaccinated annually for rabies by Alabama law.

Rabies in dogs has decreased over the past decade. Only two dogs were found to have laboratory confirmed rabies in the state during 1983; however, there has been a national increase in rabies among cats. One case of rabies was found in a cat in Alabama during January 1984.

"Any mammal is capable of transmitting rabies," said Bill Knight, director of the Division of Toxic Substances and Zoonotic Diseases of the Alabama Department of Public Health. "Rabies in Alabama most often is found in three different species: raccoons, bats and skunks."

Rabies has, for many years, been endemic in certain wild animals in different parts of the state. Rabid skunks are most often found in northwest Alabama, while raccoons commonly are found to be rabid in southeast Alabama. Central Alabama tends to have more rabid bats. Rabies also was confirmed in one cow and one fox during 1983 in the state.

Anyone desiring more information about rabies may contact the local county health department.

Following are confirmed rabies cases in area counties:

Coffee - one bat, four raccoons
Conecuh - one raccoon
Covington - one bat, four raccoons
Crenshaw - one cow, one dog, two raccoons
Dale - seven raccoons
Geneva - one fox, three raccoons, one skunk
Houston - two bats, six raccoons
Pike - one raccoon
STATE TOTALS - 30 bats, one cow, two dogs, one fox, 42 raccoons, nine skunks.

Burgess Seeks Change Of Venue

Walter Burgess, a former Alabama state trooper charged with murder in the November 30, 1983, shooting death of an Enterprise nurse, filed a motion last week seeking a change of venue for his trial.

The motion, filed by Burgess' attorneys Warren Rowe and Joe Sawyer, contends the site of the trial should be moved due to "pre-trial publicity", and states "an impartial trial cannot be held within Coffee County."

The attorneys said publicity in each of the local newspapers served to "arouse and enflame public opinion" against their client.

In another motion, the attorneys asked for a psychiatric expert to be selected by the defense at state expense. The evaluation would be used to prepare the defendant's case in support of his plea of not guilty by reason of insanity.

Burgess, originally considered to be indigent, has since been decided to have sufficient finances to employ legal counsel and employed Rowe and Sawyer as defense.

Elba Man Charged In Hit & Run Accident

A former Elba Work Release inmate released two weeks ago by the State Board of Corrections was arrested over the weekend and charged with leaving the scene of an accident, driving under the influence and driving with a suspended license following a hit-and-run accident.

According to Elba Police Chief John Ed White, Floyd George, age 30, was involved in an accident on Sunday night, February 19, at 7:30 and failed to stop. The accident occurred when a flatbed truck driven by George hit a car driven by Ivey Daughtry, causing minor damage to both vehicles.

George was arrested at a washateria approximately 15 minutes following the accident and was placed in the Coffee County Jail.

RECEIVE FOUNDATION AWARD - Judge and Mrs. Marion Brunson were one of 85 to receive an award at the first annual Enterprise State Junior College Foundation Awards Banquet. Dr. Joe Talmadge, ESJC president, is shown presenting the award.

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

The Alabama legislature is faced with two proposals to create new police forces in Alabama. The proposals call for officers to do specific work, but spell out that the officers will have arrest powers throughout the state. One is under the direction supervision of the House and Senate clerks, while the other will work for Bill Ruston, the man who approves all the state and federal grants in Alabama. One is "needed" to give security to the lawmakers, while the other is "needed" to collect grant funds that had been overpaid. We haven't asked a single person for the real reason of these little armies, but we don't think for one minute that it is the reasons named above. The whole idea frightens us. What we suggest if there is a need for additional security or collection officer, is for the legislature to appropriate tax money to the existing law enforcement agencies with instructions on doing the jobs that need doing.

The Chamber-of-Commerce-sponsored Pea River Bass Tournament has been scheduled again this year and the prize money is higher. We understand that Red Holland will be back also. Something we really like is the announced policy that all live fish weighed in will be returned to the river. We are greatly overfishing the capacity of our lakes and rivers throughout the South, and only with actions such as this will we be able to continue enjoying thee fish success we now have. Without such action we will see the size and number of fish drop in the next ten years even more than it has in the past twenty/thirty years.

Last week we advertised some appliances for Murphree Furniture Company at what shook Boyd Murphree a bit. He sometimes comments that it is hard to make a profit, but when we drop $300 from the price of an item selling for less than $400, he indicates there just ain't enough to pay the bills. We corrected the error this week, so you can now read the correct prices on those Hotpoint washers.

March 13 is election day in Alabama even though we haven't had a whole lot of folks indicating they knew it was coming about. In fact we doubt many people are even aware of the Presidential Primary being held. All we will be doing is electing delegates to conventions to select the candidates for the respective parties; but it is part of the process. We used to do this during our Democratic primaries in May, but since we don't have those any more we are voting in March. Get excited - and go vote!

Robert Miller, captain of the Elba Fire Department, was hurt recently when the chimney from a burning house fell on him. The injuries however were not as serious as first thought when they were dragging him from the fire. He doesn't remember it now, but aside from moaning about his hurt foot, head and little finger, Robert told this writer he didn't want his picture on the front page. He was safe however because we happened up on the fire while passing through the area and were standing by when the fire trucks arrived, but didn't think a camera was necessary. Robert missed his chance to be in a dramatic picture and I missed my chance to win a Pulitzer prize, but we will both survive. Those prizes don't convert into cash at the grocery store, and Miss Ann is satisfied that Robert just had to walk around on crutches a few days after getting out of the hospital. She probably wouldn't consent to a rerun.

We commented last week about the battle to put an isolation amendment on the ballot. Governor Wallace and Secretary of State Don Siegelman. Well Wallace is winning, even though the ballots have been printed. Wallace didn't send out the amendment to newspapers in the 67 counties for advertising the required four weeks, and this means it ain't legal to vote on the matter. Sorry Don, but the man with the biggest stick clears the widest path.

Dr. Mac Portera, vice-president of the University of Alabama, was guest speaker at the Elba Rotary Club recently, as guest of Rotarian Charles Hayes.

Portera talked to the group about the commitment of the University to working with industry to solve the problems faced in this competitive and changing world.

He showed a slide presentation on the cooperative program of the University of Alabama and General Motors, whereby students and professors from the school assembled cost-saving methods and saved half a million dollars a year on the operations, thus saving the plant from closing. He reported that as the direct result of this and continuing work, General Motors was planning to not only maintain the plant in Alabama, but was working to expand the facility and hire more workers.

Portera said this cooperative project had been so successful that others have been launched and nationwide publicity had resulted in requests from other companies asking for help if they open a plant in Alabama. He also said the knowledge acquired on the projects would be available to other industries throughout the state.

POLICE REPORT

The Elba Police Department reported a busy week with a total of 12 traffic citations issued and two arrests. The citations were issued for failure to stop at stop sign (3), speeding (2), improper tag (2), driver's license expired, hit and run, no driver's license, driving under the influence and no driver's license on person; while the arrests were for forged prescription and violation of the prohibition law.

Following are brief daily highlights of police activity:

tuesday, FEB. 14
Activitiy included a grass fire on 84 East (11:37 a.m.), a wreck on 84 East (11:38 a.m.), and a wreck on County Road 21 (4:47 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 15
Activity included a rescue squad run to a home on the Kinston Highway (8:00 a.m.), a Rescue Squad transfer to Dothan (9:10 a.m.), a grass fire on 84 West (11:50 a.m.) and a Rescue Squad run to Dothan (1:50 p.m.)

THURSDAY, FEB. 16
Activity included a report of a fight at Kendrick Apartments (11:07 p.m.).

FRIDAY, FEB. 17
Activity included a theft at the Big Bear parking lot (12:35 p.m.).

SATURDAY, FEB. 18
Activity included a wreck on Simmons Street (10:27 a.m.), a report of a dog bite victim at the hospital (2:45 p.m.) and a wreck at Victoria (6:18 p.m.).

SUNDAY, FEB. 19
Activity included a grass fire on Airport Road (11:44 a.m.), a grass fire on 189 North (3:23 p.m.) and a Rescue Squad run to Dothan (4:32 p.m).

MONDAY, FEB. 20
Activity included a burglary at a home on Taylor Mill Road (9:00 a.m.) and a fire on County Road 37 (7:05 p.m.).

Randal Chosen Public Affairs Officer Of Year

Air Force 2nd Lt. Brenda L. Randol, daughter of Henry F. Cardwell of Rural Route 2, New Brockton, Al., has been chosen public affairs officer of the year for the 2044th Communications Group.

Randol was selected in competition among contemporaries for exemplary duty performance and military professionalism.

Selection was based on job knowledge, leadership abilities and management of resources. Also considered were military standards of dress, appearance and conduct, self-improvement in furthering education, and involvement in comminity programs.

She is a squadron section commander at the Pentagon, Washington.

The lieutenant is a 1973 graduate of New Brockton High School.

Her husband Mark is the son of Donald A. and Doris Randol of Fountain Valley, CA.

"Good resolutions are simply checks that men draw on a bank where they have no account." Oscar Wilde

Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. Net Big Sales

Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., today reported net retail sales for the month of January of $331,000,000, an increase of 40 percent from sales of $236,000,000 in the same period a year earlier.

For the twelve months ending January 31, sales increased 38 percent to $4,667,000,000 from $3,376,000,000 for the same period a year ago.

Same store sales (excluding the contribution of new stores) increased 15 percent for the month of January and 15 percent for the twelve months ended January 31, 1984.

Wal-Mart operates 642 stores, as compared with 551 stores a year ago, in a nineteen-state area and its securities are listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

Ft. Rucker Will Conduct Auction March 1st

The Defense Property Disposal Office at Fort Rucker will conduct a local auction March 1.

Bidder registration will begin at 7:30 a.m., with the sale beginning at 8:30 a.m. in the office located in Building 1313 on Rucker's Quartermaster Road.

Items to be sold include office machines and furniture, household furniture, appliances, tools and a vehicle.

The property to be sold may be inspected beginning February 23, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. up to time of sale.

The public is invited to atterd.

Class Of 74 To Have Reunion

The Elba High School Class of 1974 will hold an organizational meeting on Thursday, February 23, at 7 p.m. at the conference room at The Peoples Bank to discuss plans for this year's ten-year class reunion. All class members are urged to attend!

Any class member who has not been contacted about the reunion should call Mike McGuire, 897-2229; or Becky Boutwell, 897-2085.

Sell Your Car

In The Elba

Clipper Classifieds

Mary Holley To Head Cystic Fibrosis Drive

Mrs. Mary Holley has been selected to lead local residents in organizing a bike-a-thon in Elba to beneift the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

The bike-a-thon is planned for May 5 on the courthouse square, and Mrs. Holley asks the people of Elba to join in the fight against this serious lung-damaging disease.

The disease is incurable and at present fatal in every case. One in 20 Alabamians and one in every 1600 Americans is an unknowing carrier of the defective gene that causes it.

When a child is born with Cystic Fibrosis, chances are it will not be detected immediately. Often called "the great masquerader," Cystic Fibrosis mimcs other lung and digestive problems, and as many as 40 to 50 percent of the individuals with the disease is not diagnosed properly.

The goal of the Alabama chapter is to improve the quality of life for Cystic Fibrosis patients. Funds will also be used to support research programs and medical care to lengthen the lives of all lung-damaged children through over 120 centers in the United States.

Contact Mary at 897-5181 and offer your assistance in this effort.

Heinz Company Donates Support To Children's Hospital

The H.J. Heinz Company will now make a 6 cents donation to The Children's Hospital of Alabama for each Heinz baby food label submitted by supporters of Children's Hospital.

Last year Heinz invited coupon clippers and wrapper savers to collect labels in exchange for a 3 cents cobtribution, and that campaign was so successful the decision was made to double the offer in 1984.

Labels from all types of Heinz baby foods, cereals and juices will be honored, and there is no limit as to the number that may be submitted.

The Auxiliary of The Children's Hospital of Alabama will be receiving and processing the labels. The front portion of each label should be mailed to: Heinz Baby Food Children's Hospital Fund, Auxiliary of The Children's Hospital Alabama, 1600 7th Avenue South, Birmingham, AL 35233.

The Children's Hospital of Alabama, the state's only hospital specializing in the care of children and young people, treats 100,000 of Alabama's youngsters each year.

Results of the Heinz baby food label campaign will be announced during the Children's Miracle Network Telethon on June 2-3, 1984.

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EASTERN STAR-2nd-4th Thur. 7 p.m.
WEIGHT WATCHERS- Tues. 6:30 p.m.- Z.C. lunchroom
ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. - Thur. 8:30 a.m.- Holley's Restaurant
JAYCEES - 1st & 3rd Thur. 7 p.m.
JAYCEETTES - 2nd Mon. 7 p.m. - Peoples Bank
CITY COUNCIL-2nd-4th Mon. 6 p.m.
LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues. 7 p.m. Holley's Restaurant
ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD - 1st Thur. 5 p.m. Supt. Office
BPW - 2nd Mon. 7 P.M.
AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thur. 7:30 pm. Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.
BOY SCOUTS - Mon. 7 p.m. City Pool
RESCUE SQUAD - 2nd & 4th Tuesday 7 p.m. Library
WATER & ELECTRIC - 2nd Tues. 5 p.m. City Hall
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Legal Notices

ESTATE OF BESSIE MOORE

PROBATE COURT

COFFEE COUNTY - ELBA DIVISION

Letters Testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 21st day of February, 1984, by the Hon. Marion B. Brunson, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ Bettye Rue Moore Parker
Executrix
2-23-3tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA

ELBA DIVISION

WANDA JANE JOHNSON,
Plaintiff,
VS.
WALTER LEWIS JOHNSON,
Defendant.

To: Walter Lewis Johnson
You are hereby notified that a complaint for divorce has this date been filed against you and that you must answer same before the 23rd day of April, 1984; otherwise a default decree may be entered against you.

Done this 21st day of February, 1984.

/s/ Jim Ellis
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Russett Baking POTATOES 2 lbs. $1.00

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TV Carton ORANGE JUICE 64 oz. $1.44
TV Frozen Crinkle Cut POTATOES 2 lb. $1.09
TV Frozen Whipped TOPPING 12 oz. 94¢
Green Giant Frozen LeSueur Early JUNE PEAS 10 oz. $1.21
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Green Giant Frozen NIBLETS CORN 10 oz. $1.10
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Green Giant Frozen BROCCOLI Spears 10 oz. $1.21

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Everyday Down Price — America's Favorite Detergent TIDE 49 oz. $1.72
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Everyday Down Price — Coronet Bathroom TISSUE White or Assorted $1.13 4 roll pkg.
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Gunter Akridge Is One Year Old

Gunter Akridge

Gunter Akridge celebrated his first birthday February 9 with a birthday supper at his home on February 8. Helping celebrate were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Akridge and Mr. and Mrs. Durrell Galimore. Afterwards, other guests joined Gunter in wishing him a happy birthday, with many nice gifts.

Gunter is the son of Wayne and Gwen Akridge.

Hairdressers And Cosmetologist Meet

Wiregrass Hairdressers and Cosmetologist Association will meet Sunday February 26, 1984 at the Hairum Main Street Enterprise, AL. Program will be **Trend Release Workshop.** Registration will be at 8:30 a.m. and the program will begin at 9:00 a.m.

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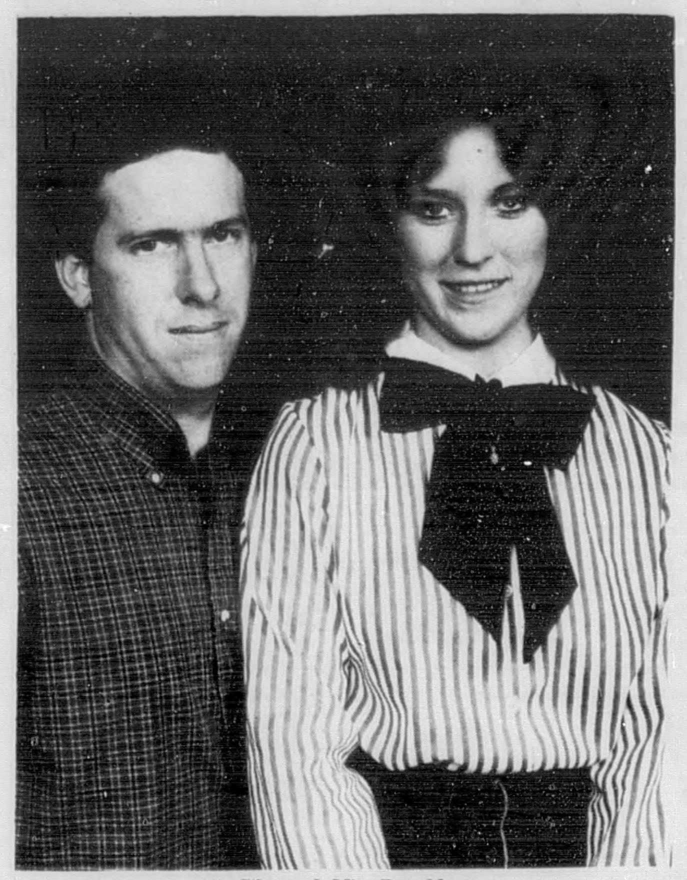

Mr. Gibson & Miss Donaldson

Miss Donaldson To Wed Mr. Gibson

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Donaldson of Elba announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Bama Gail Donaldson, to William Scott Gibson, son of Mr. William Glen Gibson of Elba and Mrs. Mary Ann Kennedy of Brewton.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Donaldson and the late Mr. and Mrs. Flauzell Ivy Seymore, all of Elba.

Bama is a 1982 graduate of Elba High School and is presently employed at The Peoples Bank.

The groom-elect is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. James Dennis Gibson of Brewton, and Mrs. Sara Pearl Keller and the late Mr. James David Keller of Atmore.

Scott is a 1977 graduate of Elba High School and is presently employed at Alfab in Enterprise.

The wedding will be an event of May 26, at six-thirty in the evening at the New Ebenezer Baptist Church in Curtis Community, with a reception to follow immediately afterwards.

No local invitations are being sent. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

New Arrival

THOMAS EVAN MADDOX

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Maddox (nee Alice Brunson) announce the birth of a baby boy - Thomas Evan Maddox - on Monday, February 6, 1984, in a Dothan hospital.

Evan weighed 8 lbs. 5½ ozs. at birth.

Proud grandparents are Mrs. W.L. Brunson of Elba; Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Maddox of Florala; great grandmother, Mrs. J.W. English of Elba.

Alice and Tom have two other children - Anna and Justin.

Mother and baby are doing fine.

Twentieth Century Study Club Meets

The Twentieth Century Study Club met February 9 at The Levee Restaurant.

Past members of the club were guests of honor. Mrs. Patsy Williams, vice-president, welcomed the guests. Mrs. Peggy Stroud gave the invocation.

Mrs. Doris Cooper presented a delightful history of the club, highlighting amusing activities of the past-member guests who were present.

Mrs. Maggie Dean Boyd, Mrs. Joann Wicker, Mrs. Martha Frances Stephens, Mrs. Carolyn Brunson, Mrs. Laura English, Mrs. Mary Ruth Purdue and Mrs. Louise Cooper, charter members, were presented red carnation corsages. Mrs. Louise Cooper has been an active member of the club since it was organized in 1949.

Other past member guests were Mrs. Martha Easters, Mrs. Charlotte Clark, Mrs. Luci Brueckner, Mrs. Jeannette Garrett and Mrs. Olive Ray Martin.

After a delicious dinner the meeting was adjourned.

Members present were Mrs. Doris Cooper, Mrs. Louise Cooper, Mrs. Heddy Cox, Mrs. Betty Garland, Mrs. Amorette Helms, Mrs. Mary Alice Lee, Mrs. Elaine Martin, Mrs. Peggy Stroud, Mrs. Grace Taylor, Mrs. Janaria Thomas, Mrs. Ann Tucker, Mrs. Betty Vaughan, Mrs. Patsy Williams, Mrs. Mary Young and Mrs. Leigh Tatum.

Miss Leonard - Mr. McCollough Engagement Announced

Mr. McCollough-Miss Leonard

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Leonard of Kinston announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Catrina Ann to Scott Dewayne McCollough, son of Mr. and Mrs. James O. McCollough of Samson.

Catrina is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Brooks of Elba and Mrs. Carl Leonard, and the late Carl Leonard of Kinston. She is the great granddaughter of Mr. George Johnson of Opp.

Catrina is now attending Enterprise State Junior College for Mid-management and Supervision with the accounting option.

Scott is the grandson of Mr. Charlie McCollough and the late Mrs. McCollough of Samson and the late Mr. and Mrs. Rube Davis of Kinston. He is currently employed at the Western Auto in Samson, but is scheduled to leave for Air Force basic training in April.

The wedding will be an event of March 10, at 7:30 in the evening at the Basin Baptist Church in Basin Community. A reception will immediately follow in the fellowship hall of the church.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Miss Leonard Honored With Bridal Shower

Miss Catrina Leonard, bride-elect of Scott McCollough, was honored with a miscellaneous shower February 18, between the hours of 2:30 and 4:30 at the home of Mrs. James Farris.

Hostesses were Mathalyn Farris, Linda Farris, Peggy Ham, Betty Sue Boutwell, Patsy Mathews, Jean Mauldin, Eleanor Ray Maddox and Mary Shellhouse.

Mrs. Peggy Ham greeted the guests and directed them to the bride's registry. Mrs. Mathalyn Farris introduced guests to the receiving line, which included the bride-elect, Miss Leonard; her mother, Christine Leonard; groom-elect's mother, Faye McCollough, bride-elect's grandmother, Mildred Leonard.

Claudette Danley presided at the bride's registry. The small round table was covered with a white gathered cloth, with a square peach lace overlay. Appointments included an arrangement of peach, beige, apricot and coral silk flowers, two white candles, a white plume pen and the bride's book.

Mrs. Betty Sue Boutwell directed guests to the refreshment table, which was covered with a white lace tablecloth with a pink underlay. A clear round punch bowl, containing peach-colored punch, centered the table. An array of flowers, leaves and baby's breath encircled the punch bowl, and glass serving dishes contained roasted peanuts and pecans, and mints. Other refreshments included potato chips and dip, and a three-tiered glass candelabra, entwined with silk flowers, held pink candles.

Mrs. Jean Mauldin and Mrs. Mary Shellhouse served, assisted by Patsy Mathews.

Mrs. Eleanor Ray Maddox, Mrs. Linda Farris and Ms. Deborah Farris assisted with the gift display.

The honoree was dressed in a matching three-piece gray suit.

Pre-Nuptial Parties Honor Miss Bane

Kitchen Shower

Miss Melinda Bane, bride-elect of Eddie Vaughan, was honored with a Kitchen Shower on February 12. The lovely home of Mrs. Gary Brown was the setting for the gala occasion.

Serving as hostesses with Mrs. Brown were Mrs. Harvel Fuller, Mrs. Mack Moore, Mrs. Edsel Stone, Mrs. James Kelley, Mrs. Tony Hussey, Mrs. Barry Farris and Mrs. Herschel Williams.

Delicious refreshments of percolator punch, toasted pecans, cherry cake and coffee were served.

Melinda received many useful gifts.

Bathroom Shower

Miss Bane was given a Bathroom Shower on Thursday, February 16, in the home of Mrs. Floyd Morrow. Other hostesses were Mrs. Wendell Newman, Mrs. Jerry Bedsole, Mrs. Robert Newton, Mrs. Norman Stellner, Mrs. Bob Hataway, Mrs. Gayle Johnson, Mrs. Vince Bowers and Mrs. Beverly McDaniel.

A tasty refreshment plate was served to the guests.

Bridal Coffee

The beautiful home of Mrs. Fred Clark was the setting for a Bridal Coffee for Miss Melinda Bane, Coffee for Miss Bane on Saturday, February 18, from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Clark and registered at the registry table where Miss Tonya Bryan presided. They were then directed to the receiving line which included the honoree; her mother, Mrs. Foster Bane; the groom-elect's mother, Mrs. Ted Vaughan; his grandmother, Mrs. M.L. Carroll, New Brockton; and the bride-elect's sister, Kristy Bane.

Delicious refreshments were served to the approximately 100 friends and relatives who called.

Hostesses in addition to Mrs. Clark were Lynn Hudson, Anyce Brazelton, Mrs. Harold Hudson, Jo Ann Brazelton, Mrs. L.A. Boyd III, Mrs. Jake Lubert Morrow, Mrs. Kasper Anderson, Mrs. Ed Cooper, Mrs. Lamar Brooks, Mrs. L.W. Turner.

Melinda was presented a lovely card table from the hostesses.

Miscellaneous Shower

Miss Bane was honored with a Miscellaneous Shower February 18, during the hours of 3 - 4:30 p.m. at the New Ebenezer Baptist Church fellowship hall.

Hostesses were Mrs. Bill Bullard, Mrs. Dot Donaldson, Mrs. Jessie L. Donaldson, Mrs. Glen Donaldson, Mrs. Mack Donaldson, Mrs. Mattie Stanley, Mrs. Dot Daniels and Mrs. Jewel Jacobs.

The room was beautifully decorated in the bride's chosen colors. The honoree's sister, Kristy Bane, served at the registry table.

The hostesses presented Melinda with a clock and ironing board.

NICKY SEMONELLE, left and JESSICA CORNELL, celebrated their birthdays Sunday, February 19, with a party at the home of Nicky's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Semonelle, Rt. 1, New Brockton. Nicky was six years old and Jessica was one on February 18. Jessica is the daughter of Steve and Donna Cornell, and the granddaughter of Nick Semonelle. The party featured a Care Bear cake and theme, with other refreshments. Those enjoying the dual birthday celebration were Mrs. Catherine Semonelle, grandmother and great grandmother, and Ann from Wilmington, Delaware; Nicky's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L.V. Adcock, Elba; his great grandmother, Mrs. B.F. Jackson, Elba; his sisters, Annah and Christy; parents Nick and Elaine Semonelle; Jessica's parents, Steve and Donna Cornell, Elba and Dennis Luce, Wilmington, Delaware.

PASTOR'S CORNER

BY: DICK HAYES
Interim Pastor
New Hope Baptist Church

HARD TO WAIT

Typically American, I shift from one foot to the other, as I stand impatiently in any kind of line that has any length to it. Oh, how I hate to wait! I want the fastest service at the gas station when I drive up. I want the mechanic to fix my car in an hour or less, regardless of how much he needs to do to it. I want the waiters at the steakhouse to bring my food regardless of how many are ahead of me. I want the person driving the car ahead of me at the red light to move on when the light turns green, even though I may not be going anywhere really.

You see, one of the hardest jobs we have in life is just "waiting" - on somebody else, on God, on something to happen.

Most cultures aren't so demanding; but mine is. I've been brought up that way. And I know that I am not speaking for myself alone. Face it - WE ALL HATE TO WAIT!

While attending Foreign Mission Conference at Ridgecrest, North Carolina, years ago, I looked at those missionaries, many of whom had been in this service 35 or 40 years or longer, and I saw how patient, wise, understanding and lovely many of them were. My aspiration was to be like them one day. In the back of my mind, I thought perhaps if I prayed hard enough, one day I would awaken and all those coveted characteristics would be mine. In other words, I didn't want to wait - I wanted to be spiritual right then and now.

It is apparent that as Americans our unending impatience with the ordinary things of life spills over into our spiritual lives. We have been reared on "instant stuff" and we want "instant spirituality." We want to "put in our time" Sunday mornings and Sunday evenings (if our TV schedule allows), we want a quick chapter from the Bible, a 15-minute sermon, a "God bless" prayer, and then we expect showers of God's blessings to fall on us!

What happens when God doesn't answer our prayers immediately and the showers of blessings do not come? I'm afraid our faith begins to be shaky and we may become a bit peeved with God.

But wait a moment! If we would read through the Psalms, we would discover an astonishing truth. God is in no hurry! Listen to this: "I wait for the Lord, my soul doth wait, and in His word do I hope. My soul waiteth for the Lord more than they that watch for the morning." (Ps. 130:5-6a). "Wait on the Lord; be of good courage, and He shall strengthen thine heart; wait, I say, on the Lord." (Ps. 27:14).

In Isaiah's prophecy, chapter 40, verse 31, God says, "But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint."

This is God's recipe for living above the troubles of this world now.

Remember, we are in "heavenly places in Christ Jesus." What our world needs is more "eagle" Christians.

Bible Verse

For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God; Not of works, lest any man should boast. Eph. 2:8-9

Friendship To Have Sunday Singings

Beginning in March, the Friendship Holiness Church, Friendship Community, will have a service of Gospel singing each Sunday evening. All services will begin at six o'clock, and a different group will minister each Sunday evening.

"The people of the church have felt led of the Lord to change the course of their evening services," said Rev. Charles Dyess, pastor of the church, "and we welcome each and everyone to come out and enjoy this time of worship and praise to our Lord."

Taylor Hill Baptist To Have Revival

Taylor Hill Baptist Church will have revival February 26 through March 4, with services to begin at 7 o'clock nightly.

A different minister will speak each night, with the Leon Adkinson Family of Goodman Assembly of God conducting the services on March 2.

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We are a church that is led by the Holy Spirit as we sing in the Spirit. We show our love for God by the way we act in church, at home or wherever we go.

We welcome all to our church and to the altar if you desire. "All have sinned and come short of the Glory of God," but you can live without sin if you desire, and we welcome ALL with open arms "If the Son (Jesus) makes you free, ye shall be free indeed." We cannot do without the Lord and no one should be without the Love of God.

We give our testimony as we desire, from our heart. We make mistakes, but the Lord forgives us, and we all do the best we can. We are ready to do whatever we can for you, pray for you and with you.

Christ sends us into the world to bring "whosoever will" come to Christ. We are your friends, as the Lord is your Friend. If you will confess your sins before men, Jesus will confess you to His Father and your Father, the Holy One.

God gives us the privilege and responsibility to take the Gospel of Christ to the lost world. Take up your cross and follow the Lord. We believe the Word of God. The Lord is our strength and we should abide in His Will.

"We are thine, oh Lord, and use us for your Glory. Give us the strength and power to serve You with all our heart."

"God so loved us that He gave His Son to die for us!"

EARLY FILES

**TEN YEARS AGO
FEBRUARY 21, 1974**

***Mrs. Edna Stinson displays the flowers she received from her son Dnny for Valentine's Day. Danny sent the flowers from Hawaii, while on a stopover enroute to a new duty assignment with the Air Force in Thailand. The arrangement consisted of dried wood roses - tan in color; red Flame Ginger; Bird of Paradise - a mixture of orange and green; Ti leaves - green and purple; and Anthurium - deep scarlet and orange-red leaves with pods in the center.

***About 300 worshipers gathered at eleven o'clock Sunday, February 17, at the Elba United Methodist Church to celebrate 120 years of organized Methodism in Elba and 63 years in the present sanctuary. Mrs. Fred Johnson welcomed the visitors and former members. Rev. Ed Sells is pastor of the church.

***City Clerk Kermit Crook resigned his post, citing upcoming eye surgery as the reason.

***Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kenneth Arnold announce the birth of a baby girl on February 11, in Coffee General Hospital in Enterprise. Lucy LaTisha weighed seven pounds eleven ounces at birth and was twenty inches long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dud English and Mr. and Mrs. Harlin Gray, all of Elba.

***EHS Report: Editors - Jane Kelley, Denise Beck; Guess Who? Grace 8; Nickname - Cottontop; Hobby - football; Favorite teacher - Phillips; Class - History. Senior of the Week - Roy "Buddy" King; Cutest Couple - Cindy Donaldson, Dwaine Thomas.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO
FEBRUARY 20, 1964**

***At an impressive ceremony Monday night, Bobby Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cooper, was awarded the highest Scout award, the Eagle award. Bill Bullard is Bobby's scoutmaster, and the award was presented by Bennett Jordan, District executive with the Boy Scouts of America.

***Through the Keyhole, with Mrs. Robert Cannon: A comfortable home on the Opp road was the setting for a nice party last week when John B. Johnson planned a surprise dinner for wife Jean. Several couples were in on the secret and spent the evening enjoying the Johnsons' hospitality.

***Elbala beauties selected at Elba High: Kathy Anderson - senior beauty; Carole Proctor - junior; Elaine Miller - sophomore; Julie Moore - freshman.

***Winners at Mulberry Heights School New Farmers of America contest were: Public Speaking - Milton Belcher - first; Earnest Ellison - second; Smith Marshall - third; Quiz - Henry Siler Jr. - first; Winford Knox - second. Quartet was composed of Charles Lee, George Hammonds, Ira Hall and Tommy Brooks; Talent - Harold Williams, Charles Lee, George Hammonds, Ira Hall and Tommy Brooks. Judges were Miss Mary R. Bell, Mrs. W.M. Patton, Rev. C.A. Hammonds.

***Miss Janet Daniels was honored by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Daniels, with a 12th birthday party on February 14 at the recreation hall. A Valentine theme of red and white was used, and there was a large heart-shaped cake topped with 12 candles. Guests sharing the fun, music and games were: Mike Reeves, Cathy Bowers, Boots Crook, Christina Cooper, Steve Dorsey, Karen Clay, Daniel Stephens, Debbie Lindsey, Jimmy Jacobs, Debi Easters, Mickey Driggers, Kay Mack, Dan Taylor, Sue Harper, Larry Wambles, Louise Williams, Danny Stinson, Rona Burdick, Mike Parrish, Emily Burdick and Henry Morrow.

**THIRTY YEARS AGO
FEBRUARY 25, 1954**

***Richard (Dick) A. Rowe, son of Mrs. Mary Ella Rowe of the Damascus Community, has been selected as a winner of the first annual medical scholarship provided by the 1953 legislature. Dick, a first-year medical student at Alabama Medical College, was one of six medical students chosen for the four-year, $1250-per-year award.

***Pictured are Zion Chapel's basketball cheerleaders who supported their team in its 76-40 loss to top-seeded New Hope in the first round of the county tournament: Merle Eddins, Nell Carr, Vivian English, Merlene Carr and Willadean Clark.

***The old John Brown residence west of the canal bridge on the Opp-Elba highway was badly damaged by fire about 11:30 Monday morning. Mr. Brown and family had moved some time ago to their new residence and the old building was occupied by Mr. Parnell and family.

***On Sunday, February 21, friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martis J. Tyler of Zion Chapel to celebrate Mr. J.C. Tyler's 77th birthday. A delicious dinner was served buffet style to Mr. and Mrs. Edd Crawley and Glen of Zion Chapel, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Tyler of Enterprise; Mr. and Mrs. James C. Tyler and daughters of Enterprise; Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Crawley and daughters of Montgomery; Mr. and Mrs. Houston Askridge, Mrs. Charles Rushing, Mickle and Dennie of Enterprise; Mr. and Mrs. Martis J. Tyler and Linda Lou.

**FORTY YEARS AGO
FEBRUARY 24, 1944**

***Mrs. Laura B. McCollough, 92 years of age, well-known resident for the past 15 years, and a member of one of Coffee County's largest and most highly esteemed families, died in a Troy hospital Sunday night following a short illness. She was the widow of the late W.S. McCollough, and leaves five daughters: Drucilla McCollough, Mrs. Anna Peacock, Mrs. Bush Holley, Mrs. Emma Goodson, Mrs. Nell Smith; seven sons: Messers Math, Warren, Cull, John, Mark, Oscar and Ran McCollough; one sister, Mrs. Katherine Spurlin.

***Pfc Henry C. Goodson of Napier Field arrived Saturday night for a visit with home folks and friends.. . Messers Ed, Clyde and Joe Frank Goodson spent Friday and Saturday in Thomasville, Georgia, visiting Sgt. James Goodson who is in the hospital there.

***Pvt. Charles M. Henderson, son of Bartholomew and Naomi Henderson, well-known colored residents of Elba, died in the Asiatic area on February 2, from an illness of pneumonia. Charles volunteered for Army service in September of 1941 . . . and gave his life for his country.

***Included in the new recruits at the U.S. Naval Training Station at Great Lakes, Illinois, are two Elba men: James Harvey Macon, husband of Mrs. Ida Macon, Rt. 4; and George Dewey Sanders, husband of Mrs. Mary Sanders. Upon completing recruit training, these men will be home on a nine-day leave.

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Evangelistic Serv. .6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . 7:00 p.m.

NEW PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST - Eld. Waymon Pryor
Sunday School . . 10:30 a.m.
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Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Church Training . . 5:30 p.m.
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WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Ferron Smith
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Service . . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Service . . 5:00 p.m.
Even. Service . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet.7:00 p.m.
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MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Wm. McCrummen
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
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Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:00 p.m.

BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST Donnie Marler
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Church Training . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Ser. Wed. 7:00 p.m.

ELBA UNITED METHODIST - John C. Carmichael
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 10:45 a.m.
Children and Youth Choir Practice . . . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY - J.E. Wesley
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
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FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS - Rev. Charles Dyess
Sunday School...10:00 a.m.
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Sunday night sing..6:00 p.m.
Bible Study, Wed ..7:00 p.m.

FAIRVIEW BAPTIST - Donald Hall
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . 6:00 p.m.
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WHITEWATER BAPTIST - David Richburg
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Church Train. . . 5:00 p.m.
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SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH J.J. Hataway
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet.7:00 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST - W.C. [Bud] Goodson
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 6:00 p.m.

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH - Billy Henderson
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. .4:00 p.m.
Training Union . .5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . .6:00 p.m.
Outreach Wed. . .6:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Wed. 8:00 p.m.

MULBERRY HEIGHTS CHURCH OF CHRIST - R.B. Williams
Bible Study . . .10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . 7:00 p.m.

ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH - Faye Sims
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Service . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . .6:00 p.m.
Thursday Service .7:00 p.m.

ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Jim Arbogast
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service .11:00 a.m.
Adult Choir . . 4:30 p.m.
Evening Service . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . 7:00 p.m.
Youth Scene Wed. 7:00 p.m.

WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH - Lanny Shepard
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . .5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:00 p.m.

WESTSIDE BAPTIST
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. .4:45 p.m.
Church Training . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Serv. . .6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet 7:00 p.m.
Nursery open for church activities.

ALBERTON BAPTIST - Milford Johnson
Sunday School . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . 7:00 p.m.
1st Sunday aft. . 2:00 p.m.

DAMASCUS BAPTIST - Rev. Billy Sunday
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . .7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. .7:00 p.m.
Visitation Thursday Nights
RA's and GA's Wed. 7:00 p.m.

ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST - Ben Amlong
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. . 4:00 p.m.
Church Training . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service ...6:00 p.m.

NEW HAVEN TABERNACLE ASSEMBLY OF GOD- Huey D. Anderson
S. School. . . . . 10:00 a.m.
Church. . . . . . .11:00 a.m.
Even. Service. . . .5:00 p.m.
Wed. Night. . . . .7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD James Cooper
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Serv. .6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. .7:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST - Jerry Thomas
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. .7:00 p.m.

TAYLOR HILL BAPTIST CHURCH - Jim Danford
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Services:
Bible Study . . . 5:00 p.m.
Worship Serv. . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST Bob Prichard
Bible Study . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Worship . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHRUCH ELBA - R. Pat McFadden
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Family Meal 5:40 p.m.
C.A. (Youth) . . . 5:30 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPTIST - J.L. Gray
Sunday School . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service . 6:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal Each Thurs. Before 1st and 3rd Sundays.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE - David Baggett
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Servive . 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Serv. 7:00 p.m.
WELB Daily . . . 12:30 p.m.

VICTORIA BAPTIST - Larry Doster
Sunday School . . .9:45 a.m.
Morning Service . 11:00 a.m.
Choir Practice . . 4:30 p.m.
Training Union . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Service . . 6:00 p.m.

FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH - Syble Bagwell, Pastor
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. 7:00 p.m.

NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH - Dr. L.B. Baldwin, Sr.
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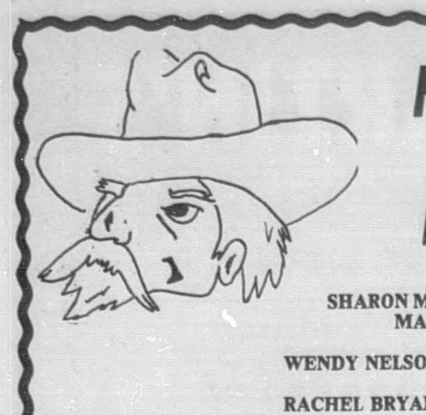

REBEL NEWS

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Donkey Basketball Game Planned

There will be a Donkey Basketball game at Zion Chapel March 2, at 7:30 p.m. It is sponsored by the Zion Chapel Band Boosters to raise money for payments on air conditioners in the band room. The teams will consists of two old timer teams from Enterprise and Zion Chapel.

The donkeys will be provided by Thurston Hamrich Professional Animal Frolics from Boiling Springs, North Carolina.

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Zion Chapel Briefs

POLL SHOWS MUSIC INTERESTS OF ZC STUDENTS

By: Janet Stewart

A recent poll of 40 students at Zion Chapel indicated a variety of interests in pop/rock music. The students were asked to reveal their favorite songs. They gave answers ranging from soft ballads to hard rock tunes.

The following is a list of the students interviewed and their favorite song: 1) Mark Senn-"Photograph" 2) Djane Parker- "Love Is So Bad" 3) Lisa Dyess - "Thriller" 4) Tim Kelley - "Pink Houses" 5) Brenda Mobley- "Hold Back the Reins" 6) Mark Grimes-"Tush" 7) Denise Hussey-"Rockin With the Night" 10) Wendy Nelson-"Never Gonna Let You Go" 11) Scotty Campbell-"Girls Just Wanna Have Fun" 14) Janet Stewart-"Only You" 15) David Fuller- "Sexual Healing" 16) Michael Hill-"Controversy" 17) Pam Nolin-"New Moon on Monday" 18) Fran Chirico- "Making Love out of Nothing at All" 19) Twyler Faircloth- "Love Is So Bad" 20) Jimmy Dailey- "Hump" 21) Sheila Simmons-"Bang Your Head" 22) Stacy Carter- "Jo Anna" 23) Kim Brunson-"Girls Just Wanna Have Fun" 24) Crystie Mauldin- "Love Is So Bad" 25) David Rainey-"Time Will Reveal" 26) Edwin Parker-"For Those About to Rock" 27) Dedie Fuller-"I Still Can't Get Over Loving You" 28) Debra Debice-"I Want a New Drug" 29) Ginger Green- "Jump" 30) Timmy Davis- "Physical" 31) Craig and Rhonda- "All My Life" 32) Sherri Flowers- "That's All" 33) Chris Miley- "JoAnna" 34) Susie Nelson-"Making Love Out of Nothing At All" 35) Connie Flowers- "Thriller" 36) Andrea Campbell- "P.Y.T." 37) Sheila Rugg- "No Parking on the Dance Floor" 38) Sherri Chancellor- "I.O.U." 39) Jason Hussey- "Funtime" 40) Steve Rugg- "Freak-A-Zoid"

"Thriller" by Michael Jackson received the most votes for the favorite song - a total of four. "Jo Anna", by Kool and the Gang, and "So Bad" by Paul McCartney each received three votes. Air Supply's "Making Love Out of Nothing At All" and Cindy Laufer's "Girls Just Wanna Have Fun" came in at third place with two nominations each.

Michael Jackson was the artist with the largest number of songs in the survey. "Thriller, "P.Y.T." and "Beat It" were all submitted.

PURINA SUPPORTS YOUTH IN AGRICULTURE

Purina Field 'n Farm brand dog meal and participating Purina dealers are pleased to announce the establishment of $50,000 in "Agri-Future" scholarship funds to qualified students entering college this fall to pursue agriculture-related courses.

The Ralston Purina Company says, "We are most excited about this opportunity to help deserving students and, at the same time, make a contribution to the future of American agriculture. We hope you will share our enthusiasm and that your students will be made aware of the program."

Complete information and applications must be completed by the student and his counselor or principal and returned to the scholarship committee postmarked no later than midnight, March 30, 1984.

There will be twenty-five $2,000 scholarships awarded to those deserving students who wish to pursue an agriculture-related major. All applicants will be notified of awards to be given. Finalists will be notified by April 15, 1984, and recipients by May 1, 1984.

Judging for the Agri-Future Scholarship will require a preliminary and a final round. One hundred points can be scored during each round based on predetermined judging criteria. Criteria include high school activites, outside activities, writing an essay, class rank, grade point average, rankings awarded by high school counselor, financial needs, and high school counselor's remarks about an individual. During the final round of the competition the essay counts for 40 percent of the total score. All the other criteria is reduced in point value.

BARBE QUE A SUCCESS
By: Dedie Fuller

The Zion Chapel Band Boosters sponsored a bar-be-que on February 11. The purpose of the bar-be-que was to raise money to pay on the air conditoner in the new band room.

They started serving at 11 o'clock in the morning and sold their final plate at 1 o'clock.

Each plate consisted of bar-be-que pork, rice, cabbage slaw, bread and home baked cakes. Each plate cost $3 and a total of 260 plates was sold.

BOOK FAIR SUCCESSFUL

A Book Fair was sponsored by the Zion Chapel High School and Elementary Librairies to raise money to purchase books and supplies for the two libraries. Grades Kindergarten through 12 were allowed to attend the fair.

Books available for sale ranged in topics from alphabet and Mother Goose books to Newberry Award books and cookbooks. High School students purchased fantasy, Garfield, and teenage romance books. Elementary favorites were activity books and animal stories.

In addition to a wide variety of books, book marks, posters, records, kits and book covers were for sale. Elementary students especially liked the book covers and posters while the high school students preferred the book marks.

Other activities conducted in connection with the Book Fair included contests between grades Kindergarten through third and four though six for the highest sales. First and sixth grades won in their respective division. Each grade will receive a group of books valued at $15 for their classroom.

When she asked about the benefits of the Book Fair, Mrs. Lowery said, "Many students bought and read books that they otherwise wouldn't check out from the library."

HUNTER SAFETY COURSE IS TAUGHT IN AGRI-BUSINESS

By: Janet Stewart

Agri-business students learned the rules and practices of safe hunting when they studied a special safety course last week. The classes were under the supervision of Mr. Harold Stewart, agri-business instructor and FFA advisor.

Students taking the course studied a hunter safety book and were required to make at least 70 on a 100 question quiz. Twenty-eight students were enrolled in the course, which lasted about three weeks. The students were in the ninth and tenth grades and in their first year of agri-business.

Those students passing the course will have a card on file in the state conservation office showing that they have completed and passed the course. If a bill passes in the legislature, the hunter safety course will be a requirement for obtaining hunting licenses. It will probably apply to people who have not previously bought licenses.

The Game and Fish Division of the State Department of Conservation issues the test to the junior safety classes. The course was taught around the state, but probably not in all ag departments. Some were taught in out of school classes. Some states already required the course for hunter licensing.

GOLD KEY FRATERNITY

By: David McCarroll

The 4-H Gold Key Franternity held a meeting February 6 in the kitchen of the New Brockton Extension Office.

Vice-president Dawn Smith called the meeting to order and led the members in the 4-H pledge, and in the pledge to the flag. Secretary Gina Hilton called the roll. Members from Zion Chapel, Elba, New Brockton, New Hope, Kinston, and Enterprise, were at the meeting.

The meeting was then turned over to Angela Hughes and Jack Tatum, sponsors. They discussed the upcoming Bee essay contest, woodworking contest, tractor driving contest, and car driving contest. Next month's calf show was also discussed.

Coupon books that cost $4 each, were passed out to the members for them to sell to raise money for this summer's trip to Washington. Plans for upcoming "Womanless Wedding" were discussed,

New Brockton's Sandra Walker then gave a slide presentation and discussion of her trip to Chicago, where she was a national winner.

TOO MANY COOKS MAKE TOO MUCH FOOD

The world might be a better place to live if we could all live by the uncomplicated philosophy of young children. Recently Mr. Randal Myers asked his fourth and fifth graders to give him some of their philosophies. He handed them a paper that listed the beginnings of some "old sayings" and asked them to complete the statements. Here are some of the results.

*You can lead a horse to water but he sometimes won't drink.
*You can lead a horse to water but don't lead it too far.
*You can lead a horse to water but it's hard to get him in.
*Two heads are a couple.
*A bird in the hand is worth more than you think.
*It's better to have loved and lost than to have lost completely.
*You can't teach an old dog 'cause he won't listen.
*Do unto others as they would have done unto you.
*It's better to have loved and lost than hate and found.
*The bigger they are the meaner they are.
*A friend in need is a helpless friend.
*The bigger they are the more you have to feed them.
*You can lead a horse to water but don't drown yourself.
*Too many cooks make too much food.
*He who laughs last is the one who did it.
*If at first you don't succeed you can later!
*Early to bed and late to school.
*The only way to have a friend is to be human.
*A friend in need is a friend that needs you.
*He who laughs last is a slowpoke.

Zion Chapel Lunchroom Menu

February 27-March 2, 1984

BREAKFAST

Monday
Cereal, Juice, Milk

Tuesday
Cheese Grits, Toast, Jelly, Milk, Juice

Wednesday
Biscuit, Sausage, Honey, Juice, Milk

Thursday
Honey Bun, Juice, Milk

Friday
Pancake, Syrup, Juice, Milk

LUNCH

Monday
Vegetable Beef Soup, Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich or Pimento Cheese Sandwich, Banana Pudding, Milk

Tuesday
Barbeque, Rice, Slice of Bread, Slaw, Milk, Mixed Fruit & Cookie

Wednesday
Hamburger, French Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle, Catsup, Milk, Ice Cream

Thursday
Fried Chicken, Rice & Gravy, White Peas, Roll, Milk, Chocolate Pie or Apple (submitted by Beverly Ellison) Ellison)

Friday
Chili with Beans, Crackers, Slaw, Milk, Strawberry Shortcake

The first television commercial appeared on July 1, 1941. It cost $9.

Six Grade Make Advertisements

By: Dedie Fuller

The sixth grade Spelling Class, under the supervision of Mrs. Elizabeth Dyess, was asked to use a product already on the market or make up their own product to create an advertisement to persuade their classmates to buy their product.

One student, John Parrish, made a home work machine. All you had to do was put your books and paper in and it would do your home work. Even if you wanted to bake a cake for Home Ec., just put the ingredients in and "presto" - there's your cake.

Nursing Home Residents Enjoy Activities

King & Queen Honored

Ladies Serve At Party

On February 11, 1984, residents were entertained by a choir group from the First Baptist Church, under the direction of Mr. Kevin Lanier. All residents noted how much they enjoyed the singing and talents of this group of young people.

Monday, February 13, 1984 female residents were given facials, compliments of Mrs. Nell Kelley, Mary Kay Cosmetic Representative. During the day, Mrs. Kelley completed 12 facials and created 12 happy, beautiful ladies. Each lady was given a number for a prize drawing later in the day. Number 11 and Mrs. Bertie Byrd was the winner.

Valentine's Day found florists very busy delivering flowers-but also very busy were members of the Elba Church of Christ. At 9:30 a.m., they arrived to a huge gathering of residents awaiting this event. Prior to their arrival, residents were treated with a Valentine card along with their breakfast tray, also compliments of this group. A Valentine King and Queen were selected by name drawing. Winners and recipients of red carnations were Mrs. Ida Wilson and Mr. Joseph Roberts. Delicious refreshments and a time of visiting and fellowship followed. This is a yearly event by the church.

State Job Openings

The Alabama State Personnel Department this week announced examinations for filling present vacancies in the following positions:
Public Utilities Analyst I ($16,624- $25,168)
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Vehicle Repair Quality Control Supervisor ($15,423- $23,426)
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Vehicle Repair Plant Supervisor ($17,456- $26,442)
Unemployment Insurance Field Deputy ($17,040- $25,740)
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Thursday - Cinnamon Toast, Choice of Juice, Cheese Slice, Milk
Friday - Toast, Jelly, Milk

LUNCH
Monday - Beef Hash, Mashed Potatoes, Fruit, Rolls
Tuesday - Fish Pattie, Slaw, Fruit, Cornbread, Milk
Wednesday - Hot Dogs, French Fries, Baked Beans, Milk
Thursday - Barbecue Sandwich, June Peas, Mashed Potatoes, Dill Pickles, Milk
Friday - Barbecue Chicken, Rice, Green Beans, Fruit, Rolls, Milk

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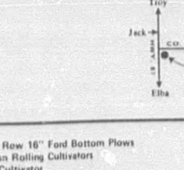

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Andy Bullard Performs With TSU Dancers

The Troy State University Dancers will present their annual performance entitled "Razzle Dazzle," February 23, in Smith Hall Auditorium at 8 p.m.

The performance will feature a variety of classical and contemporary dances choregraphed and performed by its members. The troupe members as pictured are (from left to right, front to back), Martha Warr, vice president, Clayton, AL; Faye Flowers, secretary, Dothan, AL; Jane Thames, president, Robertsdale, AL; Dena Dubberley, Notasulga, AL; Kim Newton, Thomasville, AL; Melinda Madison, treasurer, Daphne, AL; Teresa Cooper, Dothan, AL; **Andy Bullard, Elba, AL;** Tomeka Caldwell, Birmingham, AL; James Faust, McKenzie, AL; Sydney Neece, Mobile, AL; Keri Dubberley, Notasulga, AL; Janet Miller, Donalsonville, GA; and not pictured Joan Newman, Advisor, Enterprise, AL.

For more information contact Ms. Joan Newman at 566-3000, ext. 445.

Elba General Hospital Report

Persons admitted to Elba General Hospital during the period of February 14 through 20 include the following:

Oren W. Oglesby, Donnie Hall, Tishie Capps, Tracey Lee, W.T. Bryan, Jennine B. Kelley, Linda Gatlin, Susanne Nelson, Sandra Kay Mack, Jewel Wilkerson, Nettie Lee Hudson, Cheryl J. Adcock, Ora L. Kelley, Dwan Hooks, Lena Bell Weeks, Kelyn Williams, Sami Creel, Shirlene Skipper, Ruby Edwards, John William Lee, Jasper Hill, Nelvin Oneal Wallace, Collis Brooks, Leonora E. Kennett, Mary Louise Hornsby, Jessie R. Spurlin, Lucille Miller, Maudie G. Price, Louis B. McDurmont, Tishey Davis, Nellie G. Cauley, Harolyn B. Steele, Johnnie P. Barnes, Willie M. Williams, Dewayne Dubose, Anna Stoudamire, Sarah L. Starks, Kathy Fuller, Wilbert Simmons, George B. Williams, Jerry Christopher Nelson, Donna J. Courson, Wendell Ammons, James Jurasek, Jurd Killingsworth, Christopher Sasser, Kelli Johnson, Lawrence Hussey.

Those discharged during the same period of time include:

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Rodeo Set For Week Of March 14-18 At Garrett Coliseum

Montgomery's Garrett Colisum will be the site of the 27th annual Southeastern Livestock - Alabama Cattlemen's Rodeo and Livestock Week March 14-18. The week-long series of shows and competitions, featuring the World Championship Rodeo, is touted as Alabama's biggest livestock event.

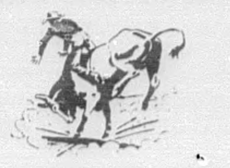
More than 50,000 people are expected to attend the exposition, according to Ham Wilson, Alabama Cattlemen's Association executive vice-president.

The championship rodeo attracts professional cowboys from all over the United States, vying for over $35,000 in cash prizes. They will compete in six performances on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights at 8 p.m. and at 2 p.m. matinees Saturday and Sunday.

Other featured events include registered quarter horse shows, the State 4-H FFA Steer Show, state Rodeo Queen contest, Alabama Charolais Association show, Alabama Polled Hereford show and sale, and the annual meeting of the Alabama Junior Cattlemen's Association.

Entertainment for the rodeo and livestock week will be provided by Grand Ole Opry star Jim Ed Brown and Company. The country/western show will be featured during rodeo performances.

The annual event is sponsored by the Alabama Cattlemen's Association and Southeastern Livestock Exposition. For more information contact Wilson at P.O. Box 1746, Montgomery 36967, 205/265-1867.



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VIEWS FROM THE PRESSBOX

BY RICKY MULARZ, EDITOR

It's tournament time for high school basketball teams and that means the pressure is on! No doubt about it, this is my favorite time of the year.

TIGERS END REGULAR SEASON AT 10-9

Coach Hank Kennedy's Elba High Tigers closed out the regular season last week with a record of 10 wins and 9 losses, nothing to get excited about, but not too bad a season. Of the 9 losses, three were by a total of 8 points and two were to 4A schools; so it could have been quite a bit better.

The Tigers started three seniors (all of which started three years), and they'll be hard to replace, but the team's leading scorers were both sophomores, and a trio of sophomores also was on the varsity roster. Elba will be young next season; however, it should be exciting!

ZION CHAPEL GRABS COUNTY SPOTLIGHT

The Zion Chapel Rebels [12-8] posted impressive wins over Kinston and New Brockton last week to clinch both the County and SEAC crown. The Rebels, who won 12 of their last 15 games, really closed out the season with a bang and got a lot of peoples' attention.

New Brockton [19-6] dropped its finale to Zion Chapel, but had two big wins and played well all week. The Gamecocks had two starters kicked off early in the week and their absence was evident, but Brockton is still a good team and my pick to win the Area.

Kinston [13-12] got blown away in its final two games and look anything but ready going into the tourney! The Bulldogs appeared to be peaking, but know they must regroup in a hurry or else hang up their sneakers.

OLYMPICS WERE NOT U.S. SHOWCASE

I didn't watch a lot of the second week of the Olympics, and looking at the medal count, I didn't miss that much. The good ole U.S.A. did win four golds and four silvers, but that didn't exactly dominate the field. Maybe when the summer olympics rolls around we'll show the world we're still #1!

Elba Umpires Association To Meet Sunday To Take ASA Test

The Elba Umpires Association will meet Sunday, February 26, at 2:00 p.m. at the T&I room at the Elba Vocational School. Purpose of the meeting will be to take the A.S.A. National Umpire's test, a test that all members of the local umpires association must take prior to becoming sanctioned.

A $15 registration fee will be charged to pay for the materials.

All persons taking the test will receive a rule book, umpire's manual, umpire's patch and other related material.

The T&I room faces the Elba Exchange Bank parking lot and will be clearly marked.

For more information call Ricky Mularz at 897-2823 (office) or 897-5977 (home).

DON'T FORGET PICTURES!!
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Up Record To 10-9

Tigers Blast Luverne 66-51

The Elba Tigers pulled out to a 14-point halftime lead and coasted to an easy 66-51 win over the Luverne Tigers, last Friday night in Elba.

The win gave Elba a final regular season record of 10-9, 6-2 in the South Alabama Conference.

The two long-time rivals battled on even terms early in the game, with Elba pulling away late to grab a 14-9 lead. Elba came out running in the second stanza and threatened to turn the game into a rout by pulling out to a 40-26 halftime advantage!

Luverne wasn't about to roll over and play dead, however, and came roaring back in the third quarter to close within 50-42. Elba regained control in the final stanza and pulled away to post the impressive 66-51 win.

Kevin Goosby poured in 20 points to lead Elba, while Dewayne Hooks added 19 and Mick Phillips hit 15. Willis led Luverne with 18.

E	14	26	10	16	- 66
L	9	17	16	9	- 51

Elba [66]: Goosby 20, Hooks 19, Phillips 15, McCollough 4, Daniels 6, McKinnon 2.

Luverne [51]: Stringer 2, Willis 18, Youngblood 12, Johnson 12, Peterson 7.

[B GAME]

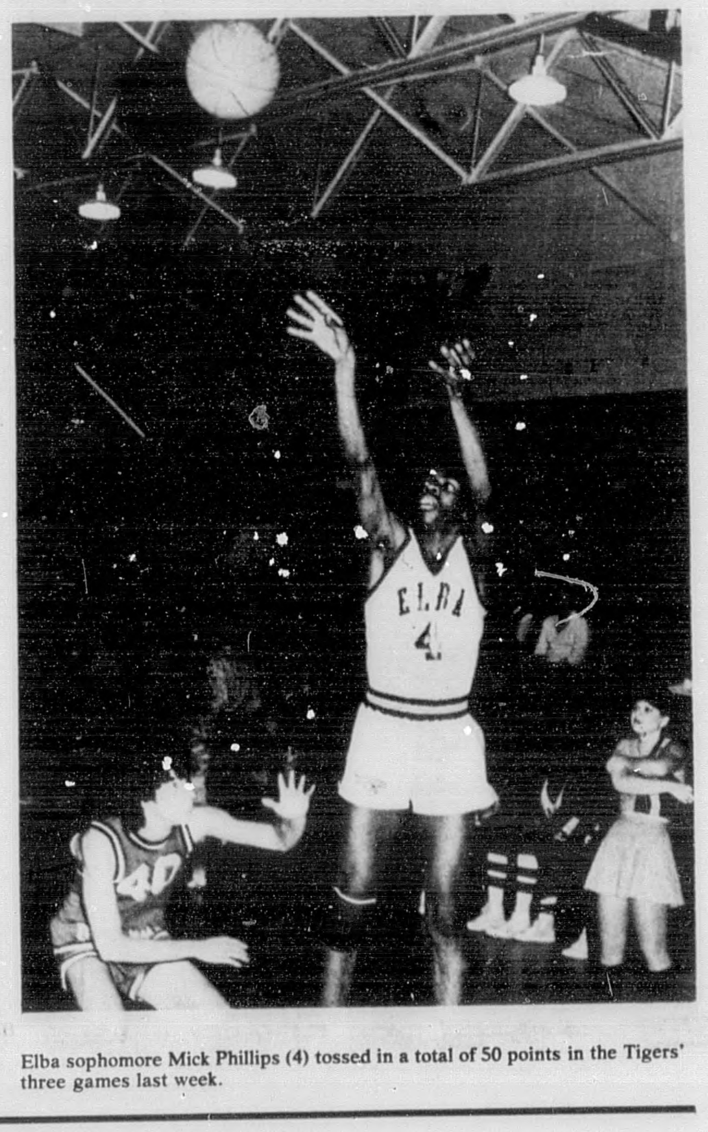
The Elba B team ended the season with a 6-13 record as they fell to Luverne 57-43. The Tigers trailed only 34-28 going into the final stanza but couldn't catch up and took the loss.

John Hudson scored 20 points to lead Elba.

L	13	8	13	23	- 57
E	8	6	14	15	- 43

Luverne [57]: McGhur 4, Smith 21, Mitchell 8, Peterson 10, Premis 8, R. Mitchell 6.

Elba [43]: Hudson 20, Young 7, Dyess 8, Murdock 2, Hammonds 3, Scott 3.



Elba sophomore Mick Phillips (4) tossed in a total of 50 points in the Tigers' three games last week.

Troy Stops Elba 66-45

The Elba Tigers and Troy Trojans met last Tuesday night for the South Alabama Conference regular season championship and the highly-favored Trojans claimed the crown with a convincing 66-45 win.

The win upped Troy's record to 25-4, while the loss left Elba at 9-8.

The two clubs battled on even terms much of the opening stanza with Troy pulling ahead 17-13 late in the quarter. The Trojans got "red hot" in the second stanza, however, and took command by pulling out to a 41-26 halftime lead. Troy put the game out of reach in the third quarter as it went on top 56-32, and the Trojans held on for the win.

Tyrone White scored 20 points to lead Troy, while Kevin Goosby and Mick Phillips hit 18 and 15 to pace the Tigers.

T	17	24	15	10	- 66
E	13	13	6	13	- 45

Troy [66]: White 20, Austin 16, Kelley 4, Williams 5, Henderson 6, Reynolds 3, J. Williams 2, Jones 2.

Elba [45]: Goosby 18, Daniels 9, Henderson 2, Phillips 15, McCollough 1.

B GAME]

The Elba B team battled all the way before bowing to Troy 60-52. The Tigers led after one stanza and took a brief lead early in the fourth quarter, but couldn't hold on and took the loss.

Townsend scored 16 points to lead Troy, while Elba's John Hudson led all scorers with 17.

T	8	18	17	17	- 60
E	12	12	18	10	- 52

Troy [60]: Thomas 2, Jones 10, Townsend 16, Flowers 14, Cooper 4, McNabb 4, Coleman 10.

Elba [52]: Hudson 17, Brunson 6, Young 8, Dyess 4, Murdock 2, Ware 3, Hammonds 9, McKinnon 3.

Gamecocks Clip Elba 56-54

Winfred Horstead hit a 20-foot jumper with only :02 left on the clock to lift the New Brockton Gamecocks to an exciting 56-54 win over the Elba Tigers, Thursday night in Elba.

The win upped New Brockton's record to 19-5, while Elba fell to 9-9 with the loss.

The Gamecocks pulled out to an early 13-4 lead in the game and appeared ready to blow it open, but Elba refused to fold and closed to within 19-16 late in the opening stanza. The Tigers pulled within one point on several occasions in the second quarter; however, the Gamecocks refused to relinquish their lead and went in at the half with a 32-29 advantage.

The Gamecocks held on to the lead for much of the third quarter, but went suddenly cold midway through the stanza and Elba rallied to nose ahead 39-38. The Tigers' lead went to three points early in the final stanza and held it until the closing minutes, when New Brockton's Winfred Horstead sparked a rally that led the Gamecocks to the win.

Horstead scored 20 points to lead New Brockton, while Mick Phillips hit 20 for Elba.

NB	19	13	6	18	- 56
E	16	13	10	15	- 54

N.B. [56]: Nelson 9, Horstead 20, Patterson 7, Hornsby 14, Head 2, Pruitt 4.

Elba [54]: Goosby 18, Daniels 14, Phillips 20, McKinnon 2.

[B GAME]

The New Brockton B team pulled away late to dump Elba 43-38. Elba led 31-26 going into the final stanza, only to fall to a Gamecock rally.

Kenneth Deeton scored 23 points to lead New Brockton, while John Hudson hit 14 for Elba.

NB	11	10	5	17	- 43
E	4	19	8	7	- 38

N.B. [43]: Danford 2, Deeton 23, Knox 8, Flowers 4, Parker 5, L. Knox 1.

Elba [38]: Hudson 14, Brunson 6, Young 3, Dyess 4, Hammonds 4, McKinnon 7.

Recreation Dept. To Offer Summer Programs

The Elba Recreation Department will conduct its most extensive summer program ever, with something for citizens of all ages.

YOUTH - BOYS

Baseball will be offered for boys ages 7-15 with three leagues competing. The "Minor League" is open to boys 7-9, while the "Dixie Youth League" is for boys 10-12 and the "Babe Ruth League" is for boys 13-15. Registration for all leagues will take place in March, with the season to begin in April.

YOUTH - GIRLS

An expanded softball program for girls will allow girls ages 9-14 to compete in two leagues. The girls 9-12 will compete in the Missy League while the Junior League will be open to girls 13-14. Registration for both leagues will take place during March, with the season to start in April.

ADULT - MEN

The softball program for men will be expanded with both the Independent and Church leagues running simultaneously. A player may play in only one league, and at least four teams must enter to establish a league. Organizational meetings will be held soon.

ADULT - WOMEN

The Recreation Department will again attempt to organize a women's softball league, and will sponsor both an Independent and Church league if there is enough interest. At least four teams must enter to establish a league, and organizational meetings will be held soon.

Any parent requesting additional information on a youth team, or any adult needing information about softball should contact Recreation Director Dennis Smith at 897-2333 (8-5), or contact a member of the Elba Recreation Board. Board members include Gaynes Waters, Mike McKee, Lamar Kelley, Betty Sauls and Ricky Mularz.

Top Stars To Compete In Rattler 100

Stock car racing will return to the South Alabama Motor Speedway on Sunday, March 4, when the nation's top "Grand American" drivers hit the track to compete in the 1984 Rattler 100.

The $12,000 purse, the largest ever for the Rattler, has attracted the top NASCAR drivers from across the land, including 1983 Grand American champion Mike Alexander and 1983 Snowball Derby winner Mickey Gibbs. Other top drivers include Jody Ridley, Donnie Allison, Jerry Lawley, Jr. Niedecken, Davie Allison, Butch Lindley, Billy McGinnis and Red Farmer, driving the Neil Bonnett car.

A 50-Lap Limited Late Model race will be held prior to the Rattler and a host of area drivers will unveil their cars as the '84 racing season begins. The field includes LaDon Smith, Wayne Newton, Phillip Holland, Chan Elliott, Nix Bruce, Charlie Sipper, Dwayne Middlebrooks and Elba's "Father and Son" team of Harold and Terry Spicer.

The track will be open on Saturday, March 3, for practice, and the gates will open on race day at 8:00, with practice to last until 11:00. Time trials will be held from 12:00 - 1:30, with racing to begin at 2:00.

Tickets for Saturday's practice runs will be $3.00, while tickets for the race will be $10 adults, $5 children 6-10, and free admission for children under 10, when accompanied by parent.

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Hawks (1-5) - 4th place

Zion Chapel Closes Out Season With A Bang!

Rebels Gun Down New Brockton 65-55

The Zion Chapel Rebels ended the season with a bang last Friday night by posting a 65-55 upset win over the New Brockton Gamecocks, in New Brockton.

The win upped Zion Chapel's record to 12-8 and gave the Rebels the S.E.A.C. and Coffee County School System basketball championships. New Brockton fell to 19-6 with the loss.

The two county rivals swapped buckets early in the game, but the Gamecocks took control late and pulled out to a 14-11 lead, despite the absence of Laymon Hornsby, who was forced to the bench with three fouls. Stuffie Pruitt sparked the Gamecocks to a 21-17 lead with 4:10 left in the half as Brockton remained in command; however, Zion Chapel rallied in the closing minutes of the stanza and pulled out to a 31-23 lead on a dunk by Terry Haynes!

The Rebels lead went to 34-27 early in the third quarter, but the Gamecocks came storming back and cut the deficit to 36-35. Zion Chapel regained control to grab a 45-39 lead going into the final stanza and hit two quick buckets to stretch its lead to 49-39. New Brockton got back to within 49-43 midway thru the stanza, only to see the Rebs run-off 7 straight points to take a commanding 56-43 advantage. The Gamecocks made a final run and cut the Rebels' lead to 5-points with 3:03 left in the game, but Zion Chapel held on and claimed the 65-55 win.

Terry Haynes scored 19 points to lead Zion Chapel, while Jerome Nelson led New Brockton with 16.

ZC	11	19	15	20	- 65
NB	14	11	14	16	- 55

Z.C.(65): Haynes 19, Flowers 12, Duncan 12, K. Downing 12, Miley 3, F. Downing 2, Sawyer 2, Evans 3.

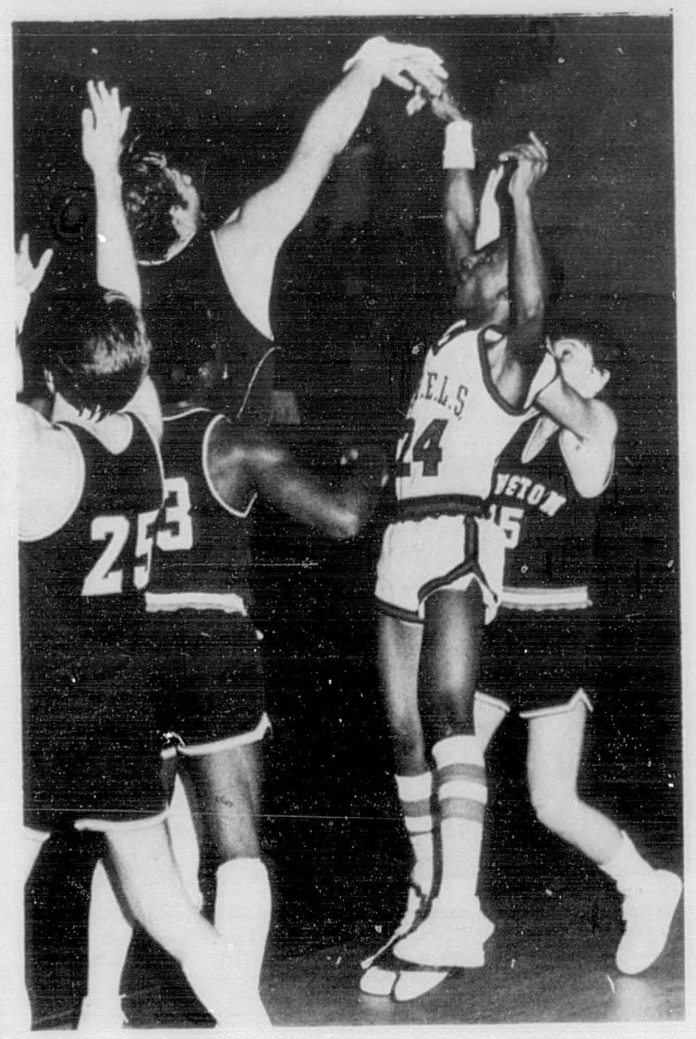
N.B. (55): Nelson 16, Hornsby 10, Horstead 9, Pruitt 9, Patterson 4, Head 5, Reynolds 2.

[B GAME]

The New Brockton B team ended the season with a 14-4 record by defeating Zion Chapel 48-42. Kenneth Deeton scored 15 points to lead the Gamecocks, while Timmie Haynes led the Rebels with 16.

N.B. (48): Deeton 15, S. Knox 14, Danford 11, Parker 4, White 2, L. Knox 2.

Z.C. (42): Haynes 16, Evans 8, Stevens 10, Chancellor 4, Hill 2, Liptrot 1, Boykin 1.



Zion Chapel's Lynor Duncan (24) is fouled while shooting in the Rebels' stunning 72-49 win over Kinston.

Zion Chapel Buries Kinston 72-49

The Zion Chapel Rebels pulled out to an early lead, then exploded for 21 points in the third quarter as they buried the Kinston Bulldogs 72-49, last week in the Bulldog gym.

The win upped Zion Chapel's record to 11-8, while Kinston fell to 13-11 with the loss.

The Rebels opened the game in a sticky "man-to-man" defense and held Kinston scoreless for over five minutes as they opened up an 8-0 lead. The Bulldogs took advantage of numerous missed free-throws to sneak back within 16-10 at the end of the first quarter and then got back in the game by pulling within 19-17 with 4:51 left in the half.

Zion Chapel stretched its lead late in the stanza, and at the half went in with a 30-24 advantage.

Zion Chapel's Rebels came out running in the third quarter and moved ahead 34-24 on two quick buckets by Terry Haynes, then went on a tear and outscored Kinston 15-6 to grab a stunning 49-30 lead. The Rebels' lead went to 52-32 early in the final stanza as the game began to turn into a rout and Zion Chapel kept pouring it on as the Rebs ran off and hid!

Terry Haynes scored 19 points and pulled down 21 rebounds to spark Zion Chapel, while Frankie Downing added 12. Charles Edwards led Kinston with 19 points.

ZC	16	14	21	21	- 72
K	10	14	8	17	- 49

Z.C. [72]: K. Downing 6, Flowers 10, Haynes 19, F. Downing 12, Duncan 11, Miley 4, Evans 10.

Kinston [49]: Henderson 6, Edwards 19, Glass 7, Thorn 2, Clark 2, Helms 6, Folmar 7.

[B GAME]

The Kinston B team led all the way to defeat Zion Chapel 52-37. The Bulldogs led only 9-6 after one quarter, but pulled away for the win.

Hill scored 14 points to lead Kinston, while Chancellor led Zion Chapel with 19.

K	9	13	8	22	- 52
ZC	6	10	5	16	- 37

Kinston [52]: Hill 14, Bedsole 9, Barnes 11, Hataway 4, Lowman 3, Reeves 7, Jones 4.

Z.C. [37]: Haynes 4, Liptrot 3, Hill 4, Evans 2, Chancellor 19, Rugg 4, Berry 3.

Nets & Lakers Tie For 1st In Boys Basketball

The Boys Basketball League ended its season last week with the Nets and Lakers finishing in a tie for first place with identical 4-2 records. The Jazz placed third with a 3-3 slate, followed by the Hawks at 1-5.

Jazz	20
Hawks	13

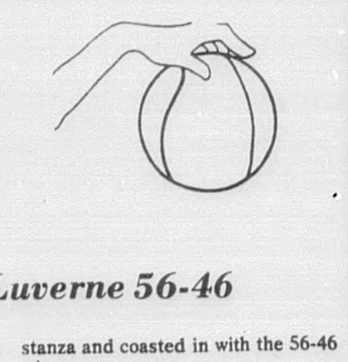
The Jazz pulled out to an early 9-0 lead and cruised to a 20-13 win over the Hawks.

Scoring for the Jazz were Kevin Matthews 10, Bennie Daniels 8 and Mark Magwood 2. Scoring for the Hawks were Joe Brooks 7, Phil Bogan 4 and Thomas Calhoun 2.

Lakers	11
Nets	8

The Lakers moved into a tie for first place by posting an 11-8 win over the Nets.

Scoring for the Lakers were David Rowe 9 and Wade Hart 2. Scoring for the Nets were Hayden Young 4, Chris Thomas 2 and Kevin Barnes 2.



Gamecocks Dump Luverne 56-46

The New Brockton Gamecocks rallied in the second half to down the Luverne Tigers 56-46, last Tuesday night in Luverne.

The Area 3 rivals exchanged buckets for much of the opening stanza; however, Luverne pulled away late and reamined in charge in the second quarter as it led 25-21 at the half. The duo of Winfred Horstead and Jerome Nelson began to "heat up" in the third quarter and the senior guards sparked a rally that saw New Brockton take the lead. The Gamecocks held on in the final stanza and coasted in with the 56-46 win.

Jerome Nelson scored 17 points to lead New Brockton, while Tony Johnson led Luverne with 14.

NB	8	13	20	15	- 56
L	11	14	9	12	- 46

N.B. [56]: Nelson 17, Horstead 10, Hornsby 10, Patterson 10, Pruitt 5, Head 3, Fleming 1.

Luverne [46]: Johnson 14, Willis 11, Youngblood 10, Peterson 7, Foster 3, Stringer 1.

Kinston Wins Dogfight 70-60

The Kinston Bulldogs pulled out to an early lead and held on to defeat the Brantley Bulldogs 70-60 last Tuesday night in Brantley.

Kinston took charge early behind the play of Charles Edwards and Alvin Henderson, and by the end of the opening stanza had built a 15-6 lead. The Bulldogs' lead went to 30-18 by halftime and it looked like an easy win; however, Brantley never gave up and Kinston had to hit key free throws down the stretch to hold on for the win.

Alvin Henderson and Charles Edwards scored 19 and 17 points to lead Kinston, while Murray hit 23 for Brantley.

K	15	15	19	20	- 70
B	6	12	21	21	- 60

Kinston [70]: Henderson 19, Edwards 17, Glass 15, Thorn 8, Clark 10, Helms 1.

Brantley [60]: Murray 23, Burnett 13, Tisdale 10, Pruitt 12, Upshaw 2.

[B GAME]

The Brantley B team led all the way to post an easy 47-22 win over Kinston.

B	11	11	18	7	- 47
K	5	4	8	5	- 22

Brantley [47]: Jones 2, Kendrick 7, Salter 8, Mitchell 8, Kilcrease 4, Legg 7, Burnett 5.

Kinston [22]: Bedsole 2, Barnes 2, Loman 2, Jones 8, Reeves 7, Cain 3.

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Officers of the Elba 4-H group are, L-R: Delois Ware - devotional leader; Linda Brooks - reporter; Beverly Wright - vice-president; Lashan Cain - president; Stacey Kelley - song leader; Gayle Robinson - song leader. Not pictured is Charlotte Lee, secretary.

Officers of the Goodman 6th and 7th grade 4-H Club are pictured with the group. They are - Holli Hamilton - president; Kim Adkison - vice-president; Marie Cooper - secretary; Ashli Hamilton - reporter; Allison Clark - devotional leader; Sherry Strickland and Vicki Johnson - song leaders.

4-H Area News

Mrs. Coleman 4-H

The 4th grade 4-H Club met February 13, 1984, in Mrs. Coleman's room. A program on manners was given by Mrs. Hughes. Connie Nunn presided over the meeting. Lori Marsh gave the devotional and Mrs. Hughes served as program chairman. Announcements concerning an egg program and 4-H poster art contest and annoucements were made by president Connie Nunn and Mrs. Hughes.

Mrs. Dubose 4-H

The 4-H Club of Mrs. Dubose met February 13, 1984. The guest speaker Mr. Tatum, talked to us about ABC's in woodworking, and about the three main types of bugs that eat wood. We also discussed about how to make plaques and clocks to hang on the wall. 4-H record books and when they should be turned in were discussed also. Before the meeting was adjourned Mr. Tatum discussed two contests coming up.

Reporter: Derrick Deal

Mrs. English 4-H

Each month in 4-H, an award is given to the elementary club and the junior high club scoring highest on the point system. They then become a part of the 4-H banner club. For January the clubs selected were the 6th and 7th grade group at Goodman with Mrs. Patsy English as the teacher leader, and the Elba 8th grade club with Mrs. Linda Berry the teacher leader.

Mrs. Wilson's 4-H

Our February meeting was a success. It began with the songs "Star Spangled Banner" and "Dixie," led by Gina Stokes and Kim Johnson.

Progress reports were given, and then Amy Osburn read the devotional.

The program, given by Mrs. Hughes, was on manners. We discussed some good and bad manners and ways to improve our manners.

There are two upcoming 4-H contests: a poster contest and a craft contest.

The business was concluded so we adjourned.

MELISSA PRICHARD, Reporter

All Around Coffee County

SAFETY

We have had about 15 inches more rain in the past six months than normal. Erosion has taken place and some road shoulders have weakened. Be very cautious as you make the first round on your tractor when you are disking or turning in a field. Shoulders which have been undermined by excessive rain can cave in and tip a tractor in a split second.

More fatalities are caused by tractors tipping than any other cause. Speeding on a tractor is another cause of accidents. Drivers wonder how this can happen on a tractor, but a lot of little things can occur to cause you to lose control. Be careful as you begin disking and land preparation!

CONTROL WORMS

Caterpillars feeding on cabbage, broccoli and collards do their destruction in the fall and spring. It used to be that folks didn't have an effective way to keep these insects under control, but it is different now. Agri-business firms and farm supply places have materials such as Dipel, Bactur and Thuricide.

Use the liquid form of either of these materials because research shows that a liquid is more effective than a dust in controlling these worms. These materials are totally safe to use. In fact, you can spray your vegetables and immediately go back and use them for food. Just be sure to wash them carefully.

ROSES

We have a new publication entitled "Disease and Insect Control for Roses." This new bulletin prepared by Doctors Pat Cobb and Austin Hagan at Auburn is the best publication I've seen on rose growing.

Diseases and insects will destroy roses and keep them from being pretty. This publication is well written and easy to follow.

Experienced rose growers know that protecting roses from early spring insects and diseases is the key to season-long black spot and powdery mildew control--two tough diseases on roses. To do this, begin your spray program shortly after bud break and continue every 10 to 14 days until frost. During rainy weather go to a five to seven day schedule.

We have copies of this publication at the office. Call us at 894-5596.

SEEDLING TREES

We get a lot of calls about getting trees from the state nurseries in Alabama. This year the list included Loblolly and Slash pines, Virginia pines, white ash and dogwood. The nursery has live oaks, water oaks, white oaks, overcup and pin oaks. Fishermen will be interested in the catalpa trees. The nurseries also have sweetgum, sycamore and yellow poplar.

Pine trees usually sell for about 2 cents each. The hardwood trees sell for about 6 cents each. Since the lowest amount that the forestry department will ship is 500, get in touch with me and perhaps we can combine orders on a number of these trees for delivery next November or December.

If you are interested, call our office between now and August 1. If you would like to get specific information on any of these, write the Alabama Forestry Commission, 513 Madison Avenue, Montgomery, Alabama 36130.

NEW DISEASE

Quite a few Coffee County soybean producers are worried about stem canker. Considerable damage was done to the 1983 crop in the Wiregrass area. Some varieties are much less susceptible than others. Tracy M and Braxton are the most tolerant varieties. Other varieties which have shown some tolerance include Centennial, Davis and others.

Dr. John Henderson advises soybean growers to have plant samples checked at the plant diagnostic lab in Auburn before assuming that stem canker is present in a field. Coffee County growers who suspect stem canker can bring a stalk sample in, and we will mail it to the diagnostic lab at Auburn.

Henderson also suggests that growers use treated seeds to help control stem canker. Seeds treated with a fungicide could lower the risk of transmitting stem canker. It also helps control seedlings diseases.

TOP BULL

Hardie Kelley, a Coffee County cattle producer who lives on Route 1, Samson, bought the top Simmental bull at the recent bull sale at Auburn. Kelley has put the bull in his herd of Charolais cross cows.

Kelley is one of several cattle producers who are looking at ways to improve the genetic base in their cow herds. He realizes the value of crossbreeding, and he wants to continue to make improvements. He is already planning the breed and type of bull which he will be using on this bull's daughters.

Dan Presley, who works closely with Kelley, told me that more producers are becoming aware of the value of crossbreeding and the value of planning ahead in order to improve herds. Call on us if we can help you plan herd improvements.

DANGEROUS

Farming is dangerous work! Tractors are involved in more farm accidents than any other single piece of machinery. The main reason for this is that tractors are easily overturned. Recently, a survey showed that over half of on-farm tractor deaths were caused by overturns. Some tractors have a roll-over protection structure which helps to eliminate some of the fatalities.

During the past six months we have had a lot more rain than usual. Some field banks and shoulders have been severely eroded. A tractor getting too close to one of these undermined borders will tip over. Be very careful as you approach the shoulders and banks of all fields. Don't take any chances!

One 100 watt light bulb produces more light than two 60 watt bulbs, with about 17 percent less energy consumed.

Coffee Correspondence

REFREEZING FOODS

Oftentimes I'm asked what foods can be refrozen safely. There are many. However, quality may be altered. Breads and cakes can be refrozen, although the freshness may be affected. Pies (except for cream ones) can be refrozen, but some weeping and breaking of the filling may occur.

You can refreeze thawed fruits but they may lose quality. Vegetables that still have ice crystals can be refrozen, but use them as soon as possible. If completely thawed, you can refreeze plain vegetables if they haven't been kept at room temperature too long.

BELT WORKSHOP

I'm in the process of constructing belts. After I've made six belts, I'm going to have a belt workshop. You'll enjoy making belts for your spring and summer outfits. Watch the news column for date and place.

As you know, ready-to-wear fashion belts are expensive but you can make belts to mix and match with lots of outfits.

EGGS

One of the egg's best nutritional selling points is its large amount of protein. In fact, the egg is classified as one of the major sources of protein in the diet. Eggs also contain all of the essential vitamins and minerals needed by the body, with the exception of Vitamin C. This versatile food is also important to weight watchers because one egg contains only 80 calories.

As far as economy is concerned, eggs are among the best buys when their price per pound is compared with other foods. For instance, if large eggs are a $1 a dozen, that would only amount to 67 cents a pound. Where else can so much nutrition be found for so little money?

CLEANING THE MINI BLINDS

Anyone who has the mini blinds knows that they are hard to clean. There is a product on the market now that will remove dust and dirt from these blinds. The product has seven cleaning rollers which are released by pulling a trigger. The rollers are inserted between each blind and moved back and forth. The trigger is squeezed to remove from the blind and the rollers can be washed in soap and water.

BREAD

Most of us are always looking for a new idea for leftover bread. Here is one. Use it to make melba toast. Just cut slices into halves or quarters and let them sit on a baking sheet at room temperature for an hour. Bake at 325 degrees, for five to eight minutes, until crisp and light golden brown. This is a good substitute for crackers.

Want more zip? Sprinkle with toasted sesame seeds, garlic or onion salt. Or spread them thinly before toasting with butter, which has been mixed with basil, parsley and oregano.

FRIENDS

A few days ago I met with a delightful group of women at Fort Rucker. Among one of them was an avid reader of this column. Her name is Aileen Schopper. Her question for me was one I've never been asked. Aileen wanted to know if I had a recipe for preparing certain parts of a hog - ears, tail , and hoofs. Do any of you have such information? If so, let me know.

NUTRITION

I've been to two meetings in the last week where the subject of what we eat was discussed. We have all heard it over and over, that the key to getting enough nutrients each day is to eat a variety of foods.

Foods provide nutrients and energy for an active lifestyle which includes regular fitness activities to help you maintain a desirable weight. Somewhere I read that swinging in a hammock is not generally considered a stimulating exercise. We all need to eat right and have the proper exercise program.

STRESS OF WAITING

Have you thought about waiting as being stressful? It is. If this makes you angry, you are not alone.

There are ways to fight stress of waiting. If you have an appointment and think you might have to wait, plan a way to use that time. Take a book to read, hand work, letter writing material or some sort of study material. Many people will listen to tapes while driving on long trips. They feel this is really making good use of their time.

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ORDINANCE 1984-1

THE CITY OF ELBA, ALABAMA, a Municipal Corporation

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Elba, Alabama, a municipal corporation, as follows: It shall be unlawful for any motor vehicle to be driven or placed on the levee around the City of Elba. However, this ordinance shall not be construed as prohibiting any emergency, utility or service vehicle from using the levee as an emergency access road.

ORDAINED AND APPROVED by the City of Elba, Alabama, on this the 13 day of February, 1984.

By: Bob M. English
Mayor

ATTEST:
/s/ Jack Prescott
City Clerk
2-23-2tc

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COUNTY OF COFFEE

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

WHEREAS Tyler Bryan and Debby Bryan, husband and wife, executed to Elba Exchange Bank, a corporation, on the 26th day of September, 1980, a Mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said Mortgage being recorded in Mortgage Book 70-A at Pages 289-290, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama; and

WHEREAS, default has been made by the Mortgagors in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said Mortgage and said default continuing::

NOW, THEREFORE, Elba Exchange Bank, a corporation, the mortgagee and owner of said Mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, at 11:30 o'clock A.M., on Thursday, March 22, 1984, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse door of Coffee County, Alabama, in the City of Elba, Alabama, the real estate embraced in said Mortgage described as follows:

A lot or parcel of land in the NW¼ of the NE¼ of Section 30, Township 6, Range 19, together with the improvements thereon, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point where the South margin of the Blase Branch paved road where said point intersects the West right of way margin of the Opp to Brantley paved road; thence West along the South margin of the said Blase Branch paved road for 105 feet; thence South for 420 feet; thence East 105 feet to the West margin of the Opp to Brantley paved road; thence North along the West margin of the Opp to Brantley paved road to the point of beginning.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the Mortage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

This 20th day of February, 1984.

ELBA EXCHANGE BANK
A Corporation
The Mortgagee and Owner of Said Mortgage
2-26-3tc

LEGAL NOTICE

In accordance with Chapter 1, Title 39, Code of Alabama, 1975, notice is hereby given that GEMCO CONSTRUCTION, INC., Contractor has completed the Contract for **Asbestos Removal at Kinston and New Brockton Schools.**

PSCA (1183)-5 at **Elba, Alabama,** for the Alabama Public School and College Authority and **Coffee County** Board of Education, Owners, and have made request for final settlement of said Contract. All persons having any claim for labor, materials or otherwise in connection with this project should immediately notify **H.J. Mizell, Achitect, P.O. Box 637, Ozark, Alabama 36360.**

GEMCO CONSTRUCTION, INC.
P.O. Box 187
Trilby, Florida 33593
2-16-4tc

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF COFFEE

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, John Freeman Flowers, Jr., and wife, Joyce C. Flowers, executed to First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Coffee County (now known as First Federal Savings & Loan Association of the Wiregrass), an Alabama Corporation on the 26th day of February, 1974, a mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness herein, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of Judge of Probate, Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 59-A, Page 289.

WHEREAS, default has been made by the mortgagors in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and/or in the performance of the terms of said mortgage, and said default continuing:

NOW, THEREFORE, First Federal Savings & Loan Association of the Wiregrass, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage at 11:05 A.M. on March 9, 1984, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Coffee County Courthouse, in the City of Elba, Alabama, the real estate embraced in said mortgage described as follows:

One lot or parcel of land containing 1.0 acres, more or less, lying in and being a part of the South half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 17, Township 7 North, Range 21 East, in Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a point on the East line of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 17, Township 7 North, Range 21 East, where an extension of the South right of way of Clower's Bridge Road intersects said forty line; thence South 64°45' West 581.1 feet along said right of way or an extension thereof to the point of beginning for the lot herein described, which point is South 64°45' West 255.9 feet along said right of way from Highway Marker 83+76; thence South 25°15' East 210 feet; thence South 64°45' West 210.0 feet; thence North 25°15' West 210.0 feet to the highway right of way; thence North 64°45'E 210.0 feet along the highway right of way to the point of beginning. Together with the dwelling and other improvements thereon, and together with appurtenances thereunto belonging, and all fixtures now located on or in said property or hereafter placed on or in said property.

Said sales, any conveyance made in consummation thereof, will be made subject to any existing Federal tax liens, if any, which might adversely affect title to the subject property.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1984.

First Federal Savings & Loan Association of the Wiregrass [formerly known as First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Coffee County]- Mortgagee
2-16-3tc

IN RE: THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL FRANK WELLS DECEASED.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF

COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA, ELBA DIVISION

ORDER FIXING DATE FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT

This day came Debra O. Wells of the estate of Michael Frank Wells, deceased, and filed her accounts, vouchers, evidence and statement for a final settlement of same.

It is therefore ORDERED that the 28th day of February, 1984, be appointed a day for making such settlement, at which time all parties in interest can appear and contest same if they think proper.

/s/ MARION B. BRUNSON
Probate Judge
Coffee County, Alabama
2-9-3tc

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2 only 25" GE color TV's. Full floor cabinet, picture control. This control lets you adjust three important picture elements at once - color, brightness and contrast. This is a fine value for the money. Why rent when you can own for less? Full factory warranty. Nothing down, only $29.00 per month. **Easy Pay Tire Store, Enterprise, 347-2291 or 347-0526.**
2-2-tfc

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Call toll-free - 1-800-932-0509.
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Feb. 24- Mar. 1
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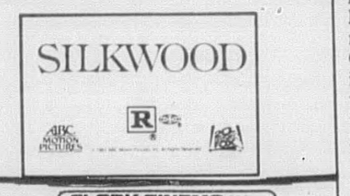

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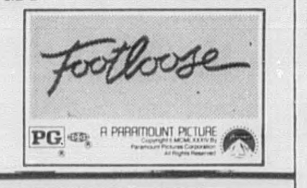
ENTERPRISE
ENTERPRISE SHOPPING CENTER
Feb. 24- Mar. 1
M-F 7&9 S&S 2-7-9

CLARK CINEMA III
ENTERPRISE
WESTGATE SHOPPING CENTER
Feb. 24-Mar. 1
M-F 7 & 9 S & S 2-7-9



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ENTERPRISE
WESTGATE SHOPPING CENTER
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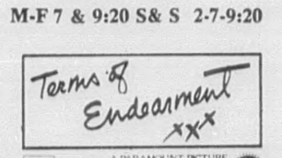
M-F 7 & 9:20 S& S 2-7-9:20



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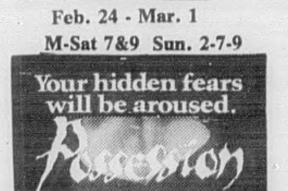
ENTERPRISE
COLLEGE PLAZA
Feb. 24 - Mar. 1
M-Sat 7&9 Sun. 2-7-9



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2-23-2tc

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2-16-2tc

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2-2-4tp

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2-23-1tp

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2-2-tfc

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9-24-tfc

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Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE: Brick house in Kinston. Excellent condition. 3 large bedrooms, 1½ baths, with Kitchen-Den combination. Lots of cabinet space. Approximately 1800 sq. ft. Large great room. 2-car carport. **CORNER LOT.** Fronts on Highway 52.
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347-4517 or 347-7516

PANAMA CITY! Near lake, Gulf! Big, dry lots, paved street, palms. $6500. 904/231-4638.
2-19-4tc

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE: 51-acre farm with 2400 sq. ft. House - brick and stone exterior. 3 BR, 3 Baths, Kitchen-breakfast room. Dining room, grand room, with cathedral ceiling - open beams. Stone fireplace. Lots of closet and storage space, built-in appliances. 2-car carport; 6.5-acre pond with cabin. Pecan trees surrounding house. North of Elba, Hwy. 189.
BOLAND REAL ESTATE
347-4517 or 347-7516
2-10-tfc

LOT FOR SALE: 100 wide by 260 deep. Priced reasonably. Conveniently located. Call 897-2047 after 6:00.
8-18-tfc

FOR SALE: Dutch Colonial on 1.49 acres, north of Elba. Fronted on Highway 87. 3-bedroom, 2-bath, brick. Can pay equity and assume present mortgage. In 50's.
BOLAND REAL ESTATE
347-4517 or 347-7516
9-22-tfc

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611 Glover Ave. - Enterprise, AL
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2-9-tfc

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2-9-tfc

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2-2-3t

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1-5-tfc

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FOR SALE

Reduced for Quick Sale: 3-BR Brick. 1½ Bath. LR, K-D, CA&H. Carpeted. Have to see to believe.

3-BR House. 1B, LR-D. Space heaters. Window AC. Partly carpeted. Large lot. Priced in mid-twenties.

Large, older 3-BR frame house. Walking distance to town. Priced in low 30's.

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3-BR Block House. B. LR. K-DR. Tile floor. Large Lot. Priced in low 20's.

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MOBILE HOME PARTS. We stock a full line of parts for your mobile home. Doors, Windows, Locks, Faucets, Window Parts, Anchors. Cool-Seal. **Rogers Company, Inc. - 231 By-Pass, Brundidge.** Phone 735-2516. Open 8-5 Monday - Friday.
8-5-tfc

SPECIAL SALE: 1983 Liberty Mobile Home, 14 wide. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath. Completely furnished. Only $914.00 down, $130.00 per month. Includes delivery, set-up, anchoring and one year insurance. **DISCOUNT MOBILE HOME SALES.** Montgomery - phone 284-0650; Troy - phone 566-5050.
1-26-tfc

Lost

LOST: Black male kitten, about four months old. If you've seen, please call 897-3570.
2-23-1tc

Wanted

WANTED: Job openings for **Bridge Carpenter** with experience; and a **General Superintendent** with bridge experience. 897-3761.
2-23-tfc

For Rent

FOR RENT: Unfurnished 1-BR apartment. Excellent neighborhood. Call after 5 p.m., 897-3066.
2-23-1tc

FOR RENT: 2-BR Apartment; 2-BR House; **Roland Powell,** 897-6864.

FOR RENT: Basin Community. 4-BR House, 3½B. 2600 sq. ft. Two fish ponds. Fenced. nine-month - one year lease. $325 monthly.
BOLAND REAL ESTATE
347-4517 or 347-7516
2-16-tfc

LOT FOR SALE
120 x 194.6 Irr.
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SEE US for information concerning any HUD, VA or FmHA acquired property.

COMPLETELY REMODELED! 3-BR, Modern Kitchen and Bath, LR, DR, Carpeted. Has new heat pump. Two children's bedrooms and bath upstairs. Large lot on C[illegible]xton Ave.

SOUTH OF ELBA - Country Beauty! 4-BR, 2-B, LR, DR, with central H/A. Garage. On large 1-acre lot.

SOUTH OF ELBA - Country Beauty! 4-BR, 2-B,LR, DR, with central H/A. Garage. On large 1-acre lot.

NEW LISTING - Located north of Elba on Mt. Vernon Church road. Brick veneer. 3-BR, 1½B, DR, Kit, LR. Approximately one acre.

NEW LISTING - A touch of the past preserved in this rustic beauty situated just off Smith Avenue on Herman Driggers Drive, on 1½ acres. Remodeled on inside. New doors, windows, carpet, ceiling, etc. Call today for revised price.

NEW LISTING: 3-BR, formal DR, LR, Kitchen, Located just two blocks from downtown on large corner lot.

NEED EXTRA INCOME? Unbelievable price on this Older Home. Large lot on Adkinson Street. Has mobile home space. Also large corner lot suitable for business.

RIVERVIEW DRIVE: Affordable. 3-BR, 1-Bath, carpet throughout. Corner lot. Fenced back yard.

DONALDSON DRIVE: 4-BR, 2-Bath frame house on large lot. Owner needs to sell.

ELEGANT: Southern charm visible in this older downtown home. Many, many features not found in today's style. This could be a lovely home or business when restored.

LOVELY HOME on Herman Driggers Dr. 2-BR, 2-B. LR, DR, Kitchen, partially finished garage. Lovely lot.

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Office 897-3456

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PRICE REDUCTION: Buy this 3-BR, 1½-B brick house with central heating and cooling, and get a special price cut for finishing a new addition. Pick your carpet, wall covering, etc. Includes drapes, 20x30 lighted and heated metal storage in redwood fenced yard. Priced in 30's.

LIKE NEW: Charming and [illegible]n be! Newly remodeled 3-BR [illegible], with nice, roomy living-dining-kit[illegible]a. Owner is moving and has priced to sell. UNDER CONTRACT

OLDIE BUT GOODIE - Seldom do you see such an individually built, older, custom home with such dignity and beauty as in this 4-BR, 4-B house. Extras include hardwood floors, ceiling fans, burglar system. Conveniently located.

IF YOU LIKE COUNTRY LIVING -this is the home for you! 3-BR house on 1 acre of land, located just 3 miles from Zion Chapel school. Garden area, pecan trees, and a price that will surprise you.

SAY GOODBYE TO RENT with house payments less than rent! Assumable 8% loan in this 3-BR, 1½-B, all electric brick house. Approximately 1300 sq. ft., built-in stove, eat-in kitchen. Large fenced back yard.

PRICED TO SELL - 2-BR, [illegible]eneer house on Highway 84 We[illegible], only minutes to downtown. Pric[illegible]s. UNDER CONTRACT

CIRCLE THIS AD - it's a must see! Anxious owner has priced this one for a quick sale. Approximately 2000 sq. ft., 3-BR, 2-B house on Hwy. 84 E. Includes laundry/sewing area, newly installed carpet in den. Call for an appointment to see.

WANT BREATHING ROOM? Lovely 3-BR, 2½-B brick house is located on large lot within walking distance to Country Club. Step-saver kitchen with excellent work area, built-in stove and dishwasher. A fireplace, fenced backyard and many more amenities. Priced BELOW appraised value.

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TIGER TRACKS

News From Elba High School

Yearbooks Are At The Printers

The Elba High School Elbala staff has completed their 1984 yearbooks and they have been sent to the printers for publication. Mrs. Helen McCollough and her staff have worked extremely hard to make the deadline and to make this yearbook the best ever.

Tiger Tracks would like to recognize Cathynette Carpenter, Editor; Keith Murdock, Asst. Editor and their entire staff for their great success in finishing the yearbook. **Pictured are several members of the staff.**

Congratulations, group - we are anticipating their arrival.

Tony White Nominated To Honor Society

Tony White

Tony Terrell White, eighth-grade student at Elba Junior High School, has been named a 1984 United States National Award winner in the Science Department. Tony was nominated by JoAnn Lindsey, his science teacher, and will appear in the Academy's yearbook.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain, with recognizing less than ten percent of all high school students.

Tony is the son of Marion L. and Nadean White of Elba, and grandson of Mrs. Mary Alice Blue and the late Mr. Albert Blue, and of the late Mrs. Eula McGowan, all of Elba.

Are You Compatible?

On Friday, February 10, Elba Junior High and Senior High School students could be heard saying remarks like **your name is on my list, you're kidding - I'm on his list; I just can't believe it - we just don't get along.**

The Elba High School Student Council government sponsored a Delta-84 computer match. Four hundred and nineteen students in grades 7-12 participated in the program to determine the top ten students of the opposite sex who were most compatible for them. The ten names the students received were listed in the order they were selected with #1 being the best match and #10 being the tenth best match. If your name appeared on someone's list, it does not mean that person's name will appear on your list.

The computer list was sold for $1.50. Eveyone did not take the list seriously, but everyone did enjoy conversing and joking about each other's list.

Now guys, ask those gals who were on your list out on a date. After all, you two should get along.

School Menus

ELBA MIDDLE SCHOOL
FEBRUARY 27 - MARCH 2

BREAKFAST

Monday - Cheese Toast, Half Orange, Milk
Tuesday - Oatmeal, Cinnamon Toast, Juice, Milk
Wednesday - Honey Bun, Prunes, Juice, Milk
Thursday - Eggs, Toast, Juice, Milk
Friday - Cereal, Half Banana, Milk

LUNCH

Monday - Fish Burger, Baked Beans, Potato Chips, Fruit Cup, Cookie, Milk
Tuesday - Turkey & Dressing, English Peas, Rolls, Jello, Milk
Wednesday - Ravioli with meat sauce, Green Salad, Barbecue Bread, Cheese Slice, Fruit, Milk
Thursday - Ham, Green Beans, Rice, Rolls, Fruit, Milk
Friday - Pizza, Green Salad, French Fries, Pear Cobbler, Milk

Miss Elba Contest Coming Up

The annual Miss Elba will be held Thursday evening, March 8, at seven o'clock, in the high school auditorium. The event is being sponsored by the Elba Lions Club, and the Lions have plans for a big event.

The junior girl chosen to reign as Miss Elba for 1984-85 will represent the city at the Peanut Festival in Dothan, to be held in October. Last year's representative from Elba, Miss Toni Hudson, was elected 1983 Peanut Festival Queen. Toni will be helping stage this year's pageant and will be featured on the program.

Spring Quarter Begins March 5th At MacArthur

Registration for spring quarter is now underway at MacArthur State Technical College. The quarter will begin Monday, March 5th.

Anyone planning to enroll spring quarter should pre-register now to avoid the possibility of being put on a waiting list.

The administrative offices are open from 8:00 a.m. until 4 p.m. Monday through Friday to assist with registration. For more information, you are asked to call the college at 493-3573.

Seniors Of The Week

This week we salute three more super athletes as the Seniors of the Week. They are Tom Hooks, Jackquelyn Brunson and Ronald Hill.

Tom Hooks is the 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hooks Jr. and he has always attended the Elba City Schools. His favorite class is Economics and his favorite teacher is Mr. King. He enjoys playing basketball, softball, and enjoys skating. Tom states that Elba High could use some more academic courses taught at EHS. He adds that attending his junior prom was the most memorable time in his school life and his senior year as the most enjoyable. After high school, Tom plans to attend college.

Jackquelyn Brunson- is the 18 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brunson and she too has always attended the Elba City Schools. She is a member of the Future Homemakers of America and she works part time at Kleinert's Inc. in Elba. Her favorite teacher is Mr. King and her favorite class is Business Law. She lists being with her friends as her favorite pastime. Jackie has shown her interest in sports by participating last year in Girls basketball and softball. She received the Miss Hustle award in both sports. Her most memorable time in her school life was being a senior and the most enjoyable was the junior prom. Upon graduation, Jackie plans to attend Enterprise State Junior College.

Ronald Hill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Hill, and he is 18 years old and like most of his classmates he has always attended the Elba City Schools. His favorite class is Economics and his favorite teacher is Mrs. Tucker. His pastimes include basketball, softball and dancing. Ronald states that he likes EHS but wishes the school would have longer lunch periods. He lists as the most memorable time in his school life attending his junior prom and the most enjoyable as his senior year. After high school, Ronald plans to get a welding job in the Dallas-Fort Worth area in Texas. Ronald shows his love for his senior class in a poem that he wrote. His poem can be found on the news page.

Seniors Of 84

The seniors of 84
Have been like the winter snow.
Once they come, they have to go.
So, Senior of 84 -
Good luck in the near future.
Be all you can be
In whatever you do.

By: Ronald Gervin Hill

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1.96
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Kleenex Towels
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Reg. 68c
2 / 88¢
With coupon Limit 2
Good thru 2-26-84

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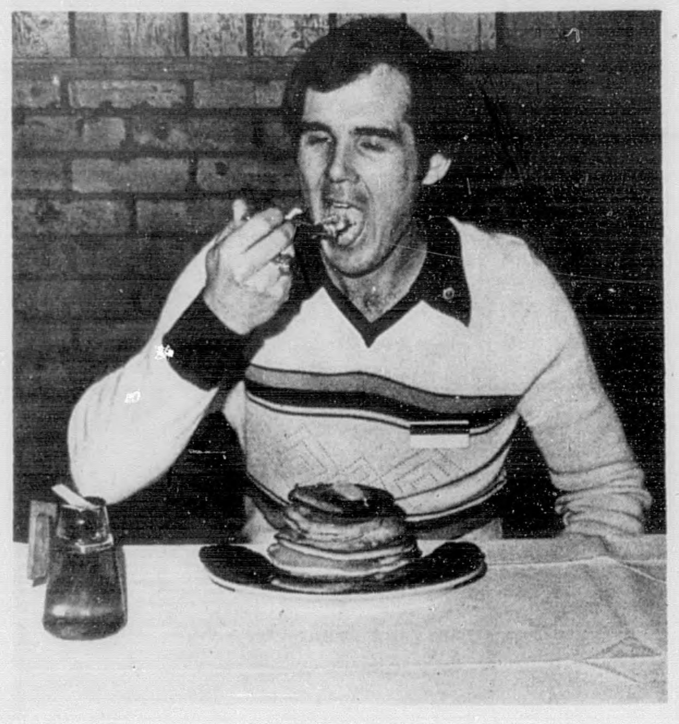

VAN McCALL samples Lions Club pancakes.

Hydro Plant Contract Debated

The Elba City Council met Monday night and in spite of lengthy discussions, took the two major items under advisement to be decided at a later date. A collection agency offer was deferred until a decision is made by the Water and Electric Board while a revision in the contract concerning the hydro plant was postponed until the council can get additional information.

Mrs. Janice Bell offered the council a plan for collection of bad debts owed to the municipality. Mayor Bob English reported that the firm had been checked through the Alabama Consumer Protection Agency and they reported the firm had a good record. However, the council deferred any action until the Water and Electric Board had considered the matter. Mrs. Bell was told that the utility handled all matters dealing with water and electricity plus collecting for garbage and sewage.

A lengthy discussion on the hydro plant lease left the council with some unanswered questions and a decision to table the matter until more information was presented.

Summit Industries, operating in Elba as Elba Hydro Electric, Inc., entered into a lease with the city, offering to pay 25 percent of all revenues to Elba as the only cost of leasing the old hydroelectric plant on Pea River just south of Elba. The thirty-year lease would begin in January of 1985 and minimum payments would be $10,000 a year.

Representatives of the firm have told Mayor English that they are unable to borrow the needed $650,000 using the lease agreement as signed. They report that lending officials feel the 25 percent is entirely too high. They requested the lease be renegotiated and the percentage be dropped to 15 percent; otherwise they will be forced to abandon the project.

Councilman Cleo Hawkins explained that there is no way to know how much income the city will get from either lease. "You can't say what you are going to make, because high water and low water affect it greatly."

English noted that the firm wanted action at that meeting, but he recommended that the matter be tabled and representatives of the firm be asked to meet with the council at the next meeting and in the meantime city officials would seek other expertise. This was approved by the council.

The council accepted the recommended rules and regulations for the federally funded rehabilitation program in Mulberry Heights.

English reported that he had authorized the purchase of paint, etc., for renovating the old Masonic Hall upstairs over the fire station for use by the Boy and Girl Scouts. Work will be done by labor from the Work Release Center. This work is presently underway.

The city's financial standing appears to be in good shape, according to information given the council by English. He noted that there is $130,000 on interest-bearing accounts; the various departments are spending less than budgeted and the income is higher than anticipated.

Councilman Charles Kennett was not present at the meeting.

Elba Man Fined In Hit & Run

An Elba man involved in a hit-and-run accident on January 30, 1984, pleaded guilty in District Court last week and received a jail term and fines totaling over $1,000.

Charles Franklin Hudson, of Elba, was involved in the hit-and-run accident on Monday night, January 30, on the Old River Road, when the car he was driving left the roadway and struck a parked car in front of the Scout Hut, at the City Pool. A youngster getting in the parked car was thrown from the car and received facial & head lacerations.

Hudson left the scene without stopping, but was arrested by Elba police a short time later and charged with driving under the influence and leaving the scene of an accident.

On the "driving under the influence" charge, Hudson received a $292 fine, 180 days in jail and a 3-year suspension of his drivers' license. On the charge of "leaving the scene," Hudson received a sentence of one year in jail (180 days to run concurrent with the other sentence and remaining days suspended), a fine of $750 and was ordered to pay restitution payments to the injured victim (medical bills, hospital bills, drug bills, etc.), not to drive unless authorized by law and not to drink and drive again.

In the order, it was stated Hudson may be placed on the county's work release program, with 25 percent of his weekly income to be used by the Sheriff to pay the cost of his incarceration in jail. The remainder of the income shall be used to pay restitution to the victim, and thereafter to pay fines and court costs.

Elba Lions To Cook Pancakes

The Elba Lions Club will sponsor their annual pancake breakfast on Saturday morning, March 3 (this Saturday). The event will be held in the lunchroom of the Elba Elementary School from 6 until 11 a.m.

The Coffee County Health Department will have someone present to check blood pressure and members of the Lions Club will be available to check for blood sugar.

Van McCall, chairman of the event, notes that the Lions Club sponsors the Cub Scouts in Elba; prevention of diabetes, and a hearing conservation program as well as the widely-known program of sight conservation.

Tickets are on sale in advance or may be purchased at the door. Cost is $2.00 for adults and $1.50 for children. This includes all you can eat!

County Commission Votes To Replace Three Rural Bridges

The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, February 27, at the courthouse in Elba and voted to use Federal funds to replace 3 rural bridges.

County Engineer Frank Charlton reported the county had $100,000 in Federal funds for use in bridge construction and passed out a list of bridges that met Federal requirements. The commission, which will match $33,000 in local funds with the $100,000 Federal money examined the list and voted 4-2 to replace the three bridges recommended by the engineer.

The bridges to be replaced include a 34-foot bridge on County Road 24, a 34-foot wooden bridge on County Road 107 and a 34-foot wooden bridge on County Road 77.

Comm. Eugene Bradley and Comm. Marvin Bowden voted against the project because of the location of the bridges.

"It is not fair," declared Bowden, "because none of the bridges are in work area 4! We've done bridge work in other areas in recent years, but haven't even had a board laid in work area 4 in three years."

The bi-monthly meeting began at 9:00 a.m., with all members present, and the first visitor was David Taylor, who complained about a dirt road on which he lives. The road, located near the Victoria Community, went 10 weeks without being worked, according to Taylor, while other roads got constant grading.

Comm. Chairman Marion Brunson told Taylor he didn't know about the work schedules, but promised "We will try to do better."

The county Highway Dept. is being kept busy, but apparently the constant work has taken its toll on equipment. The commission was told Monday a drot needed approximately $4,000 in repairs, while a loader needed repairs estimated at $5,000 and a bulldozer needed repairs expected to cost $8-11,000.

The commission told the engineer to contact a local repair shop about the cost of repairing the drot and loader, and voted to get bids on repairing the bulldozer.

Mike Holmes, of the Southeast Alabama Regional Planning and Development Commission, told the commission it was time to apply for HUD block grants. He stated the state would receive approximately $29 million in funds, which will be divided into several categories. The 60 counties eligible to apply will compete for $3 million, with only 7-10 counties to receive grants.

Holmes reported the grants most likely to be approved would deal with water system improvement and road improvements.

The commission discussed the paving project at the Shiloh Community and expressed a desire to resubmit the plan. The proposed projects will be discussed in the coming weeks and a decision will be announced at the next meeting.

In other action at Monday's meeting, the commission:
***heard Eng. Charlton state all major projects in the county were progressing on schedule;
***authorized the engineer to attend the National County Engineer's meeting on March 14-16 in Biloxi, Mississippi;
***entered into an agreement with the state to allow the use of Hwy. 37 as a detour while work is being done on Hwy. 125;
***stated it did not sell pipe, new or used, due to a possible conflict with local dealers;
***authorized the transfer of an employee to be trained as a surveyor;
***voted to let a contract on levelling to be done on 38.6 miles of county roads;
***discussed organizing a county-wide water authority;
***was told March 28 was "County Day" at the state capital;
***agreed to pay individually for an ad in an upcoming horse show program;
***heard Chairman Brunson give an update on the Southeast Alabama Transit System;
***and, approved a request to allow the South Crenshaw County Water & Fire Protection Authority to install water lines in Coffee County.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS Eugene Bradley, left, and Gilmer Grant listen as David Taylor complains about the poor condition of a dirt road. The commission told Taylor the condition of the road would be improved.

LISTEN TO REPORT . . . P&S board member Mike Thomas, left, and Probate Judge Marion Brunson listen as Coffee County P&S director Ronald Smith gives his report at last week's quarterly meeting. Smith told the board members that he will oppose a bill that would change the method of appointing members to the local board.

County P&S Board To Oppose Legislative Bill

The Coffee County Board of Pensions and Security met in regular session on Thrusday, February 23, at the Pensions and Security building in Elba and voted unanimously to go on record as being opposed to a Legislative Bill that would change the make-up of the local board.

The Bill, being considered in the current legislative session, would provide for the election of one member of each county board by the employees of the local county Dept. of Pensions and Security.

Under the proposed plan, each board would consist of seven members, with six members to be chosen by the County Commission from the citizenship of the county. Two of the members shall be women, while the seventh member would be filled by an employee elected by the other employees. The employee would join the board to fill any vacancy.

"I will oppose the bill," said Coffee County P&S Director Ronald Smith, "because it will take away an appointment from the county commission. The board is for local citizens."

P&S Board Chairman Fred Donaldson agreed with Smith, stating the bill was "pitiful" and adding it had the "built in makings for friction."

"I don't mind the employees having imput." said Donaldson, "but I do oppose employees voting. It's like getting the cat to guard the canary!"

The other board members also agreed and after voting instructed the chairman to write to the local legislators.

In other action at the quarterly meeting, Director Ronald Smith reported the department was under staffed at the present time and had been unable to implement the projects discussed at the previous meeting. In an attempt to revive the projects, it was decided the County Humanitarian Services Commitee would be asked for support.

In the Director's report, Smith reported, "We have had a lot of activity since our last meeting."

Smith reported that Christmas projects were very successful due to excellent community response. He also reported:
***$10,000 to do renovation work to the local building;
***an additional clerk typist had been employed to help ease the workload on the staff;
***the county books had been audited and received an excellent rating;
***and, stated the local department had recently received six computer tables, 15 chairs and 4 filing cabinets.

County Farms Declared Disaster Area

Congressman Bill Dickinson has announced that President Reagan has declared Coffee County an agricultural disaster area because of crop losses caused by drought and high temperatures during the 1983 growing season.

Disaster status is granted to counties in which crop losses affect at least 30 percent of the average harvest. This entitles farmers who cannot obtain conventional loans to borrow up to $100,000 from Farmers Home Administration at five percent interest and up to another $400,000 at eight percent interest.

Farmers who are eligible for commercial loans but find that no such funds are available for loan may borrow from FmHA at an interest rate of 13.75 percent.

Local FmHA offices have been instructed to be prepared to process any needed disaster assistance.

Product Yanked From Shelves

A third food product will be coming off the shelves of Alabama grocery stores this week for containing more of the pesticide EDB (ethylene dibromide) than allowed by state safety levels.

Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries Albert McDonald said recently that Martha White Foods in voluntarily recalling code 52963C of Martha White Deep Pan Pizza Crust Mix. The shipment of 400 cases was made to the Montgomery and Birmingham areas.

Residue of the pesticide found in Martha White Deep Pan Pizza Crust Mix averaged 955 parts per billion. The mix falls within the category of intermediate level food products or those that require preparation before being consumed. The Alabama Board of Agriculture and Industries established a maximum allowable level of 150 parts per billion for this particular category.

Joe Mayberry, a Martha White representative, reported that company employees have almost completed the removal of this pizza crust mix from warehouses and grocery stores. He also said that customers who now have this particular code of the mix will either be refunded or allowed to exchange their mix for one from a shipment that meets safety levels, depending on the policy of the grocery store where the original purchase was made.

Commissioner McDonald reviewed other food products that have been recalled by the Department of Agriculture and Industries. On February 22, Code 51383A of Martha White Bran Muffin Mix was voluntarily recalled by the Martha White Company for containing an average of 725 parts per billion of EDB, exceeding the safety level of 150 parts per billion. On February 14, General Mills voluntarily recalled Code E305Y of Betty Crocker Super Moist White Cake Mix, also from the intermediate category, for containing 811 parts per billion.

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